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## Man killed in drive-by shooting

### 2nd murder also under investigation

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

The Illinois State Police are investigating three murders that occurred over the weekend, including two in the Venice-Brooklyn area.

The murder of a Brooklyn man in Venice and a St. Louis man whose body was found near an abandoned church in Brooklyn are being investigated by the ISP Division of Criminal Investigation.

Larrain Davis, 21, of Brooklyn, was pronounced dead at 12:20 a.m. Saturday at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City, according to the Madison County Coroner's Office.

Davis was shot in a drive-by shooting on South Fourth Street near the Venice-Lincoln Technical School.

According to police, Davis was riding in a car on Illinois 3 when the driver of the truck behind the car started flashing its lights. The driver of the car pulled over, and several occupants in the truck started firing at the car.

The shooting was witnessed by an off-duty Venice police officer, who chased the suspects. However, after a short chase the occupants

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abandoned the vehicle — which was later found to be reported stolen out of St. Louis — and escaped on foot.

The driver of the car drove to a relative's house in Brooklyn, where Davis died.

Venice Police Chief James Newsome said it was the second homicide in Venice this year.

On Oct. 24 a Madison County Coroner's Jury ruled the death of William E. Brandt Jr., 38, of Granite City, a homicide.

Brandt had been taken to St. Elizabeth's Medical Center for a heroin overdose, but died because someone had made him inject vinegar — possibly to revive him after the overdose. That case is still under investigation.

Also on Saturday, the body of a St. Louis man reported missing more than a month ago

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## Scouts help out in Madison

## Drug houses targeted

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Madison residents who set out food for local Boy Scouts Saturday got something in return — a chance to help the city get rid of drug dealers.

As part of their Scouting for Food program in Madison, local Scouts distributed fliers from the Madison Police Department seeking information on local drug houses.

The fliers are part of special effort by police to combat drug dealers in the city.

Included in the flier is a letter from Police Chief Steve Skoklo and a form to be completed and mailed in anonymously by residents.

The form asks for the address of suspected drug houses, names and descriptions of people, cars, weapons and other illegal activities going on.

In the letter, Skoklo said the department is "in the process of taking new steps in its continued enforcement of the drug laws."

He also said residents could use the form to report other problems in their neighborhoods.

Skoklo said last week that the department would use the information to start investigations, and that the department could not make arrests or seek warrants solely on

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— Steve Skoklo  
Police chief

the basis of the information in the form.

He said similar programs have worked in other municipalities.

"It allows us to find out about drug houses that we're not aware of, but the community is," he said.

He also said the department is going to use the city's building and health codes to force drug dealers out of town.

"It's easier to move someone out of a house for substandard living conditions than dealing drugs," he said.

Skoklo said he was planning to assign an officer to work full-time with the city's building and health inspectors.

He said one factor is that drug dealers "are not there to have a good quality life; they're

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESH) Granite City Rotary Club Citrus Sale Chairman Mike Skoklo, left, and club President Dr. Charles King Jr. display oranges the club will be selling for the next two weeks. The citrus sale is the club's biggest fund-raising event of the year, and proceeds are used for community service projects. To order oranges or grapefruit, contact any Rotary Club member.

## Sale funds local projects

By Bob State  
Staff writer

A quick quiz.

What do the following community improvements have in common?

- ✓ a new pavilion at Worthen Park;
- ✓ "Welcome to Granite City" signs at major entrances to the city;
- ✓ a new organ for Granite City High School;

✓ a new vehicle for the Granite City fire department;

✓ K-9 officers for the Granite City police department;

✓ a new kitchen, meeting room and air conditioner at the YMCA;

✓ bleachers for the Granite City park district;

✓ the fitness (and) around Wilson Park;

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## Pontoon changes holiday plans

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

The village of Pontoon Beach will host a "Breakfast With Santa" instead of a Santa walk this year.

Citing the growth of the village and insurance problems, Mayor Glen Wilson announced at last week's board meeting that the breakfast

would be held at the Senior Citizen's Center, 3910 Illinois 111, from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 14.

Pancakes will be served, and children will have an opportunity to have their picture taken with Santa.

Children up to age 12 may participate, and must make reservations at the village hall by Dec. 6.

The board has been considering what to do about the annual Santa walk for some time, and Wilson appointed a committee to come up with a solution.

He said some residents may be disappointed

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John Fuller, Chief Meteorologist, KSDK-NewsChannel 5

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## Holiday campaign set to start

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Capt. Martin Colip of the Salvation Army loves Christmas.

And as Christmas approaches, the Salvation Army is gearing up for its annual Tree of Lights and bell-ringing campaigns.

"I'm looking for a great Christmas," he said. "I love the Christmas season. It's

exciting and so busy. I go from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. every day when we have bell-ringing, but it's fun."

Colip and his wife, Harriet, also a Salvation Army captain, run the Granite City location, which serves all of Southwestern Madison County, including the Tri-City, Edwardsville, Collinsville and Highland areas.

"I love bell ringing," he said. "You get out to see the people you get to talk to the

people, you get to have some fun."

Bell ringers are already in place at approximately 32 locations throughout the area, and the Tree of Lights campaign will kick off this weekend with ceremonies in Edwardsville, Collinsville and Granite City.

Ceremonies kicking off the campaign will begin at 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 22, at the Collinsville K mart, 2 p.m. at the

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# Venice boy burned; armed robbery reported

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

A 22-month-old Venice boy was transferred to a St. Louis hospital Sunday after suffering burns when the child apparently turned on the hot water during a bath.

The incident is being investigated by the Venice Police Department and the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services.

The child was initially treated at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City, and then transferred to a St. Louis hospital, according to a spokesman for SEMC.

Information on the child's condition was not available Monday.

According to police reports, the mother was giving the boy and his 3-year-old sister a bath at about 12:25 p.m. when she went to answer the door. While she was away, the son started screaming.

She returned to find that the youngest child had apparently turned on the hot water and had burns on his feet and right hand.

The sister was not injured because she was behind the boy.

Venice police were also kept busy by an

assault and two armed robbery reports in unrelated incidents.

On Saturday, a 24-year-old Brooklyn man reported that two unidentified black males had attempted to rob him at a bus stop in the 1000 block of South Fourth Street.

They left after searching the man and finding no money.

Also on Saturday, a maintenance man with the Madison County Housing Authority reported that several men in an old Chevrolet assaulted him.

The victim was going to a home in the Venice Homes housing project for a lock out call when three men in an old Chevrolet drove by, yelling at him and brandishing a semi-automatic handgun.

On Sunday, a taxi driver reported being robbed by four men.

The driver, a 57-year-old Granite City resident, said he picked up the four passengers and took them to the Lee Wright Homes housing project. While there, one of the men pulled out a "large" handgun and struck the victim several times with his fist.

The thieves took at least \$14.

# Area man killed by teens at rest stop in Arkansas

By Marge Wilson  
Staff writer

Russell Hinkle may have helped one of his children at least one more time even after his shooting death in Arkansas Thursday.

After Hinkle, a Millstead resident, was killed by four teenagers at an Interstate 55 rest stop near Blytheville, Ark., early Thursday night, his daughter Michele Hinkle Kinaan was hesitant about continuing on to a basketball tournament in Memphis.

She decided to compete, and won the tournament. A relative and a family friend said Michele believed her father was with her while she played.

"(Michele) didn't know what to do," said her brother-in-law, Mike Melton of Maryville.

"Her mother said, 'Dad would have wanted you to go.'"

Russell Hinkle and his wife, Mary, were accompanying Michele to the competition last Thursday, after meeting her flight from California at Lambert Field in St. Louis.

The family had stopped at the rest area on their way to Memphis, the site of Kinaan's racquetball tournament. Melton said Hinkle apparently resisted when the teenagers tried to rob him and was shot while in the restroom.

He staggered out and died in front of his wife and daughter while the assailants drove off in a car with the license covered. Blytheville Police were told.

The police have since charged three 16-year-olds — Steve Edwards, Turrell Pulley and Dheeslee Wright — and one 18-year-old, Asia Stewart, with capital murder, punishable with a mandatory sentence of death or life imprisonment without parole.

Blytheville Police Captain James Sanders said his department received information about the suspects from a high school teacher who had learned a gun the suspects stole from him was used in the crime. He informed the police when they were investigating the burglary at his home, Sanders said.

Sanders said this kind of

crime was unusual.

"We've not had any incidents like this at the rest stop within (at least) the last 19 years," he said.

A family friend, Jack Tolliver of Edwardsville, said he visited with Hinkle's wife and family on Sunday, after Hinkle's death and after Kinaan won the Open.

If Hinkle gave his daughter the strength to win, it was typical of his life, said both Tolliver and Melton. Hinkle was concerned with his family, his friends and apparently with whomever he came in contact, they said.

"He was the nicest man you'd ever want to meet," Melton said. "He'd talk to anybody, help anybody."

Tolliver, who was active with Hinkle in a World War II

submarine veterans group, said his friend was "probably one of the more active members" of the local chapter, the Ill.-Mo. Rebel Squadron of the U.S. Submarine Veterans of World War II.

"When he was working (as an insurance adjuster) traveling in Missouri and Illinois, if he was near a member he would get in touch. If any member was sick, he'd be one of the first to visit," Tolliver said.

Tolliver said both he and Hinkle served on submarines in the Pacific during the war, in the China Sea, the Yellow Sea and the Sea of Japan. Hinkle was a past chapter president of the submarine group, he said.

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## •Drugs—

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there to make money."

The fliers came up last Thursday at a committee of the whole meeting of the Madison City Council.

At the meeting, Alderman Norris Horton questioned how residents would respond.

"Skokko said Friday that the version he had given council members did not have the police department's mailing address, while the one sent out Saturday did."

On Monday Skokko said he had already received one reply about some possible drug sales on city streets.

At Thursday's meeting, aldermen also discussed the purchase of surveillance equipment for the police department for approximately \$8,650.

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## Food baskets to be given to needy

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## Bomb scare at courthouse

More than 1,000 people were evacuated Monday morning from the St. Clair County courthouse after a bomb threat was made on the building.

The threat, which ended up being a hoax, closed the courthouse for about two hours.

The St. Clair County Sheriff's Department was investigating the case Monday and had made no arrests as of press time.

Chief Bailiff Tom Burns said a courthouse operator received a telephone call about the bomb at approximately 9 a.m.

"She stated the person's voice sounded like a white male," he said. "He told her that a bomb was going to go off in the courthouse at 10:30 a.m."

Police re-opened the courthouse at approximately 10:45 a.m. after no bomb was found.

Burns said he is unaware of any motive.

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# Post celebrates anniversary

V.F.W. Post 7451 of Madison celebrated its 10th anniversary at the post home. Danny Poston is the current commander. Don Hartenberger, State Commander of the V.F.W. of Illinois, was present for the occasion, as was District Commander Nick Orlando.

A video was shown of the progress that the V.F.W. Post has made over the years.

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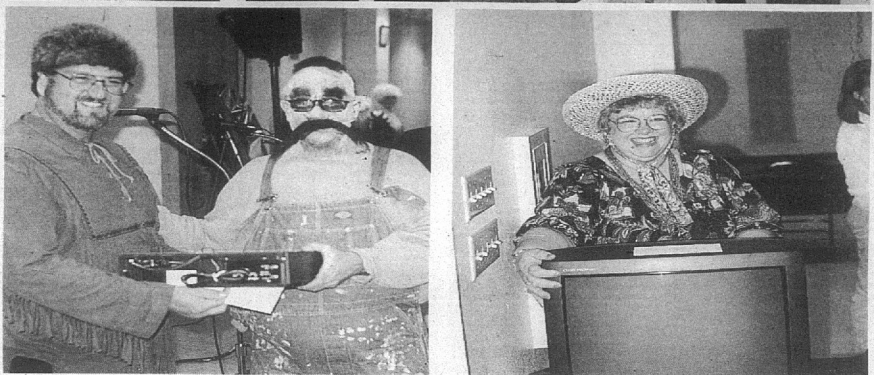
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# Halloween at the Mayor's...



**Happy Halloween** — Several hundred ghosts, goblins and other guests attended Granite City Mayor Ron Selph's annual Halloween Party last month. Pictured above are street department employee Scott Nonn, left, a clown, and Snow White (Robin Thomas) and seven of her little friends. Below left, Police Sgt. Mike Chosich, right, receives a VCR from Selph; below right, Selph's secretary, Judy Dothage, shows off the television set she won as an attendance prize.

# Man accused of spreading HIV

Authorities are hunting for a 22-year-old Bethalto man accused of knowingly spreading the virus that causes AIDS to a relative.

Jamie Humphries, of the 100 block of Kingdom Street, was charged Thursday with aggravated criminal sexual abuse and criminal transmission of the human immunodeficiency virus.

Authorities believe Humphries forced sexual intercourse on a 16-year-old Bethalto girl after a night of drinking Saturday. The victim, a relative of Humphries through marriage, is awaiting test results to determine if she is infected, a prosecutor said.

"The victim is a step-relative, and he apparently got her drunk and forced himself on her, knowing he was HIV positive," Madison County Assistant State's Attorney Rich Rybak said.

Rybak said investigators discovered Humphries was HIV positive after receiving information on his criminal history.

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## Obituaries

### D. Weckman

Douglas W. Weckman, 32, of Garland, Texas, died Friday, Nov. 15, 1996, in Granite City. He was born May 11, 1964, in Granite City and resided in Texas the past 24 years.

Mr. Weckman graduated from South Garland High School, Garland, Texas, and was an active member of Southminster Presbyterian Church in Garland. He had suffered from a severe head injury for the past 12 years after being involved in an accident.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Dorothy and Donald Cook of Garland, Texas; his father and stepmother, William and Kim Weckman of Granite City; two sisters, Channa Weckman of Granite City and Donna Cook of Garland, Texas; maternal grandfather, Walter Macdonald of Madison, Wis.; and paternal grandparents, a sister, Cynthia Weckman; his maternal grandmother, Veronica Macdonald; and his paternal grandfather, William Weckman, Sr.

Services were held Tuesday, Nov. 19, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Lewis Trotter officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Southminster Presbyterian Church, Garland, Texas.

### Ray Hartline

Ray L. Hartline, 92, of Granite City died at 6:15 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 14, 1996, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, St. Louis. He was born March 23, 1904, in Wolf Lake, Wis.

Mr. Hartline resided in Granite City in 1966 when he worked as a construction worker in Southern Illinois, moving to Granite City in 1966 when he retired. He was a member of Laborers' International Union Local 735.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Scott and Mattie (Barnes) Hartline; a daughter, Helen Hartline who died at birth in 1937; seven brothers, William, Clark, James, Frank, Charles, Art, and Fount Hartline; two sisters, Gertrude and Gladys Hartline; and one grandchild, Larry Full, who died in Vietnam in 1968.

Survivors include six daughters, Ruth Fuller and Marie Cox both of Granite City; Katherine Cox of Alton, Ill.; Irene Nimmo of Granite City; Millie Barnett of Virden, and Gertrude Slover of Jefferson City, Mo.; and one grandchild, Hartline of Greenburg, Ky.; his former wife, Ruth Wortham Hartline, two sisters, Gertrude and Gladys Hartline; and one grandchild, Larry Full, who died in Vietnam in 1968.

Services were held Saturday, Nov. 16, at Thomas Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, with the Rev. Leon Bell officiating. Burial was in Walker Cemetery, Granite Tower.

### Mary Miller

### Campaign

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Edwardsville Schmucks, and 10 a.m. Saturday at the Granite City Wal-Mart.

Colp said the Granite City event would be the big kick-off, with prizes, entertainment and other activities.

This year's goal is \$225,000. Last year's goal was \$200,000, and about \$220,000 was collected.

Although the money brought in by bell ringers and the Tree of Lights campaign has been used for the Christmas programs, it is also an important part of the Salvation Army's budget.

As part of their Christmas programming, Colp said the Salvation Army will give out more than 1,000 food baskets and 4,000 toys to about 1,800 children.

"On top of that, it helps provide programs throughout the year for children who are taught to have values in life and are given programs that are alternatives to being on the street," he said. "It helps provide for the whole year."

"We actually raise about two-thirds of our budget at Christmastime," he said.

He said the agency also needs more volunteer bell ringers.

"Right now we're a little short (on volunteers)," Colp said. "We started out a little slow getting people in to sign up."

"One of the reasons we need volunteers is that for every bell-ringing position that we ring from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., if you pay a bell ringer you automatically have to raise \$80 in that kettle to pay that person before you make a penny," he said. "If a volunteer is there,

Mary M. (Conner) Miller, 77, of Granite City died at 7 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 14, 1996, at VIP Manor in Wood River following a long illness. She was born Dec. 28, 1918, in Ft. Cobb, Okla.

Ms. Miller, a lifetime resident of Granite City, was a member of Maryville Road Church of Christ in Nazareth. She formerly worked for Small Arms, Carburator, and Traveler's Insurance, retiring in 1983 as a factory worker from Mid-West Card Company in St. Louis.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Eugene and Nellie (Layton) Conner; a sister, Polly Delaney; and two brothers, Stanley and Bill Conner.

Mary M. Conner was married to Roland Miller on Jan. 19, 1946, in Granite City. He survives her. She is also survived by a son, Eugene L. Kridle of Granite City; four brothers, Horace Conner of West Plains, Mo.; Marvin Conner of Efford, Kan.; Glenn Conner of Calif.; and Richard Layton of Calif.; and six sisters, Gene, Gene, Ruth, Edgeline, and Dorothea Lindsay all of West Plains, Mo.; Marie Dudley of Efford, Mo.; JoAnna Conner of Pomona, and Wilma Jackson of Ft. Cobb, Okla.; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday, Nov. 16, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, with the Rev. Kevin L. Clements officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials should be sent to the Missionary Society of Maryville Road Church of the Nazareth, 4300 Maryville Road, or the American Cancer Society.

### M. Westwood

Marcella "Pat" L. (Ryan) Ferris Westwood, 73, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., formerly of Granite City, died at 4:50 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12, 1996, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, St. Louis. She was born Jan. 4, 1923, in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Ms. Westwood was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Westwood, who died at birth in 1937; seven brothers, William, Clark, James, Frank, Charles, Art, and Fount Hartline; two sisters, Gertrude and Gladys Hartline; and one grandchild, Larry Full, who died in Vietnam in 1968.

Survivors include six daughters, Ruth Fuller and Marie Cox both of Granite City; Katherine Cox of Alton, Ill.; Irene Nimmo of Granite City; Millie Barnett of Virden, and Gertrude Slover of Jefferson City, Mo.; and one grandchild, Hartline of Greenburg, Ky.; his former wife, Ruth Wortham Hartline, two sisters, Gertrude and Gladys Hartline; and one grandchild, Larry Full, who died in Vietnam in 1968.

Services were held Saturday, Nov. 16, at Thomas Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, with the Rev. Leon Bell officiating. Burial was in Walker Cemetery, Granite Tower.

### L. Champion

### Projects

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that's \$60 we've made right away by not having to pay payroll."

"Plus volunteers — especially when they're groups like the Kiwanis clubs and Rotary groups — those are leaders of the community who know everybody," he said. "So people don't walk away as easily as a paid bell ringer they don't know."

"There are some Salvation Armies that run their whole bell ringing with volunteers," Colp said. "I've never been at one of those places and would love to find out what it's like."

Colp said he was hoping to have a day where all the kettles are covered by volunteers from church groups, and another where service clubs provide all the volunteers.

"When I first got here I wrote to all the service clubs and volunteered to come out and be one of their speakers," he said. "Several have taken me up, and several have called and volunteered."

"Volunteers always have priority," he said. "If I don't have to pay somebody, that's wonderful."

"For information on volunteering call 451-7957."

One of the reasons Colp emphasizes volunteers is that the level of need in the area is "quite large at the moment."

"We are inundated daily from people who need food or shelter," Colp said.

"One of our biggest problems is that we do not have a shelter here in Granite City," he said. "They have one in Alton and one in Belleville, but a lot of times we cannot get people in because they are full."

Because of that, he said the agency must put people in motels. "That's a very expensive way to do things, and you're really not affecting the reason they are there," he said. "With a shelter program, you can do one-on-one counseling and are just so many things you can do to break that rut of homelessness that you can't do in a hotel."

He also said changes in social security and welfare reform are going to increase the number of people seeking aid.

"When the first of the year rolls around, the Social Security Administration said all people on disability because of alcohol and drug abuse will be taken off," he said.

That could affect approximately 400 families and Madison and St. Clair counties.

"When you look at those kinds of problems, the welfare reform programs that are going into effect next March and September, the needs are

Lemuel "Lem" Champion, 74, of Potosi, Mo., died Wednesday, Nov. 13, 1996, in Potosi. He was born Nov. 20, 1921, in Marion, Mo.

Mr. Champion was a member of St. James Catholic Church in Potosi. He was an avid baseball fan and enjoyed listening to St. Louis Cardinals games and supported the team in good times and bad.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Nancy (Madonia) Champion, whom he married July 2, 1955, in St. Louis; his parents, William and Sarah (Lyerla) Champion; four brothers, Leonard, Floyd, Robert, and Howard Champion; and one sister, Mary.

Survivors include one daughter, Roxanne Salomone of Granite City, and one son, Ronnie Champion of Wentzville, Mo.; two stepsons, James Corbin of Sillville, La., and Nelson Corbin of N. Augusta, S.C.; one stepdaughter, Nancy Zepke of Omaha, Neb.; three sisters, Sylvia Stephens of Madison, Del.; Delores of Granite City; and one brother, Jerry Champion of Madison, Wis.; and one sister, Mary Champion of Potosi, Mo.; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Friday, Nov. 14, at St. James Catholic Church, Potosi, Mo., with the Rev. George Galivich officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery, St. Louis.

Arrangements were handled by Gum & Sons Funeral Home, Potosi, Mo.

### Ruby Tinsley

Ruby Aline (Clark) Tinsley, 68, of Granite City died at 8:20 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, 1996, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, St. Louis. She was born June 24, 1928, in Kennett, Mo., and had been a Granite City resident for 60 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William H. and Mary Agnes Clark; a daughter, Patricia Alice Tinsley, who died Oct. 24, 1996.

She was survived by two sons, Terry and William Russell Tinsley both of Granite City; a daughter, Patricia A. Tinsley of Granite City; a brother, William H. Clark of Granite City; three sisters, Patsy Lindsey and Alberta House both of Granite City, and Elsie Gaffard of Madison; five grand children and three great-grandchildren.

Services were scheduled for 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, Nov. 20, at Western Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, with the Rev. Ed Eastwood officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

### Harry McClure

"Harry J. McClure, 76, of Granite City died at 4:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15, 1996, at his residence. He was born Nov. 15, 1920, in Granite City, Mo.

Mr. McClure retired in 1980 from A.O. Smith Corp., Granite City, after 29 years of service. He was a lifetime resident of Granite City and a member of the Protestant faith.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Harry and Rose McClure; a daughter, a sister, Gertrude McClure; and a brother, George M. McClure.

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Westminster, Calif., and Sue McClure of Branson, Mo.; a sister, Emma Lou Stern of Granite City; 5 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Nov. 18, at Thomas Memorial Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, with the Rev. David Tyler officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to American Diabetes Association.

### Dennie Brantley

Dennie Brantley, 45, of Caseyville died Saturday, Nov. 16, 1996, in East St. Louis. He was born Feb. 25, 1950, in Marion, Ky.

Mr. Brantley was a self-employed laborer.

He was preceded in death by his father, William C. Brantley.

Survivors include his mother, Mary (Stanton) Gorden of Caseyville; three sisters, Tina, Sharnice of Granite City, Arlinda Thomas of Los Angeles, Calif., and Darlene Poor of Fenton; and one brother, Jerrell Poor of St. Louis.

Services were held Tuesday, Nov. 19, 1996, at Herr Chapel, 300 W. Lincoln, Caseyville, with the Rev. John Davis officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery in Collinsville.

Arrangements were suggested to donor's choice.

### Charles Hull Sr.

Charles E. Hull Sr., 85, of Ullin died at 8:37 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, 1996, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, St. Louis. He was born Jan. 1, 1911, in Mitchell, Ill.

Mr. Hull was a resident of Granite City 52 years, moving to Ullin three years ago. He was a U.S. Marine veteran, a member of Occidental Lodge #623 A.F. and A.M. in St. Louis, and of the Protestant faith.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Harry and Alma Blanch (Bach) Hull; one brother, David Hull; and one sister, Kathryn Hull.

Survivors include his wife, Laurel (Hegel) Hull; four sons, Yancy and Wayne Hull, both of Ullin, and Charles Jr. and Barry Hull, both of Granite City; two daughters, Deanna and Susan Holman, both of Granite City; and Valerie O'Connell of Collinsville, Ky.; a daughter, Wendy Trevor, Wis., and Paul Hegel of Kentwood, Ky.; and one grandchild, Fitch of Waterloo and Deanna Hegel of Collinsville, two brothers, Will and A. Hull of Cobden and Reuben Hull of Thebes; two sisters, Wilma Cole of Louisville, Ky., and Grace Hastings of Alton; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday at Thomas Memorial Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Mark Maynard officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Hospice of Southern Illinois.

Kenneth "Koy" Ross, 60, of St. Charles County, Mo., died Saturday, Nov. 16, 1996. He was born Dec. 21, 1935, in Venice.

A funeral mass will be held at 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 1355 Motherhead Road, Cottleville, Mo., with a ceremony in St. Charles Memorial Gardens.

Visitation was Tuesday at Baue Funeral Home, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Mr. Ross had been employed by Zimco, Inc., St. Louis, for 20 years. He was a member of the St. Charles Knights of Order of Moose. He served in the Army.

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He is survived by his wife, Loretta Rose (nee Brewster) of St. Charles County; one son, Kenneth W. of St. Charles County; two daughters, Deborah Schewe of St. Peters, Mo., and Theresa Ferrell of St. Charles; three brothers, Donald Ross of Ladue, Mo., Leon Ross of Granite City, Ill., and Gerald Tomasi of O'Fallon, Ill.; one sister, Mary Lou Walsh of St. Louis; and 11 grandchildren.

Memorials may be in the form of Masses or Baue Funeral Home, 820 Jefferson St., St. Charles, MO 63301.

### Mary Uram

Mary Uram, 45, of St. Louis, formerly of Granite City and Fort Collins, Colo., died at 11:43 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18, 1996, at her residence following an extended illness. She was born Aug. 14, 1951, in Granite City.

Ms. Uram was employed as a special education teacher for 12 years in Fort Collins, Colo., before retiring in 1984 due to illness. She was a graduate of Granite City High School, a student of Sisters of Divine Providence of St. Louis, attended St. Elizabeth's in St. Louis, and received her masters degree from the University of Colorado in Greeley, Colo., was a member of St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Granite City, and also attended St. Catherine Labourer Catholic Church in St. Louis.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Alice Uram.

Survivors include her parents, Raymond and Josephine (Michals) Uram of Granite City; a sister, Ann M. Maasen of St. Louis; four brothers, Dr. John Uram of St. Louis, Michael Uram of Naperville, and Joseph and Stephen Uram both of Glen Carbon.

Arrangements for a memorial mass are pending at Thomas Memorial Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City.

### Killing

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was found in a field near an abandoned church in Brooklyn.

The body of Charles McCoy Jr., 21, of St. Louis, was found wrapped in a blanket in the 300 block of South Eighth Street. He had been shot numerous times.

Relatives had reported McCoy missing to the St. Louis Police Department on Oct. 11.

Also on Saturday, the state police were called in to investigate the murder of Marcus Williams, 18, of Washington Park. Williams was asleep on a sofa at the 2300 block of 60th Street at about 3 a.m. when someone entered the house, put a gun to Williams' head and fired several rounds. The intruder fled from the residence.

Anybody with information on any of these crimes should call 618-346-3718.

### Holiday

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the village is dropping the Santa walk, but that was the best option because of the size of the village and concerns about insurance.

"The village is about five times larger than when we first started out," he said.

He added that growth is making it hard to get enough volunteers to cover the entire village.

"Last year we had five Santas and we still couldn't get them all," he said. "We missed a few houses last year and I don't like that."

He also said the village's insurance carrier had expressed concerns about the safety of those walking from house-to-house along the route, especially along the 11th and 12th streets.

Wilson said village officials are approaching local businesses about donating items and services for the event; the effort has been very successful so far, he said.

The board also approved spending up to \$1,500 — the same amount as last year — for the event, mostly for Christmas stockings for the children.

### Projects

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the fitness trail around Wilson Park; \$28,000 in scholarships for area youth; equipment for boy and girl scouts; more than \$16,000 donated to a world-wide program to eliminate polio by the year 2000; and furniture for local mental health facilities.

The answer: All of the projects were funded, in whole or in part, by donations from the Granite City Rotary Club.

"Service Above Self" is the motto of the club, and the list above represents only some of the service projects undertaken by Rotarians in recent years.

To fund those projects, the club has one major fund-raising event each year — a citrus sale.

The sale is going on now and will last another two weeks. Club members are selling 40 oranges and grapefruits in 40-pound cases. Each case costs \$20 and will be delivered before Christmas.

Rotary citrus makes an ideal Christmas gift and is an opportunity to help contribute toward worthwhile community projects," said Rotary Club President Dr. Charles King Jr.

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## SIUE seeks to expand on-campus housing

SIUE officials are looking at ways to provide more and improved housing, beginning next school year.

At a press conference Wednesday, Southern Illinois University President Ted Sanders said the university is in a "fact-finding, learning mode" and officials are considering "a string of options" to handle a growing enrollment.

Among those options are modular housing and privatized residence halls.

At the same time, officials are estimating it will cost \$13 million to make safety and

aesthetic improvements at Tower Lake apartments, where some units are 30 years old.

University officials scrambled this fall to find housing for a freshman class that was 12.4 percent bigger than in 1995. Housing officials converted five Residential Hall lounges into rooms, moved some fraternity members out of Tower Lake and into a university-owned house and asked students to consider doubling up.

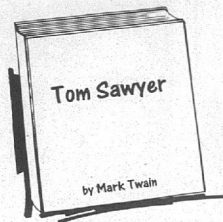
About 150 more students were turned away because of the housing shortage. "We

believe we lost students this year because we could not house them," said Kenneth Neher, vice president for administration.

Sanders said the university is seeking proposals for temporary, expandable modular units to house between 400 and 600 students.

Neher said the conditions at Tower Lake are not dangerous but that the buildings are aging and need repairs. Some of the apartments need new wiring, new balconies, sliding new kitchen appliances, new sliding glass doors and energy-efficient upgrades.

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## Lights display to begin

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## NEWS

### Cable work to close Clark lanes

ALTON — Drivers will face slow going on the Clark Bridge for about 35 working days while workers reduce some bad vibrations on the cable stays that help hold the bridge steady.

"It's hard to explain, but when it rains, the water on the cable stays causes them to vibrate," said Jerry Wibbenmeyer, engineer for the Illinois Department of Transportation.

That boils down to the fact that when the bridge's bright yellow cables get wet, it produces excessive vibrations that can cause excessive wear on the cables.

"The bridge is not in any danger. It's a matter of wear and tear," Wibbenmeyer said.

He said a half-inch cable will be laced among the existing cables to keep the structure steady. It will not alter the appearance of the bridge, Wibbenmeyer said.

"Hopefully, no one will even notice."

Traffic was to have been reduced to one lane beginning Monday, weather permitting.

The restrictions will be in effect during daylight hours only and will be scheduled around normal rush hours.

One northbound lane will be closed from 6 a.m. to 3 p.m., and one southbound lane, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Wibbenmeyer, who was an engineer on the original construction, said IDOT planners knew when the bridge was built that the additional cables might be needed and that \$204,000 for installing the half-inch restraint cables was worked into the budget a year ago.

The 160 miles of cable are encased in yellow tape designed to keep the 250-foot pylons cool in high temperatures.

The Clark Bridge is one of only 25 cable-stayed bridges in the United States.

Engineers said the cable-stay design is cost-effective and does not require temporary supports in the river during construction that would inhibit barge traffic.

Midwest Foundation Corp. of Tremont was awarded a contract to install the cable restraint system.

— From The Telegraph

### Busch hits \$2 million mark

Cathy Busch, associate of CVM Realty, has closed \$2 million in real estate transactions.

She is a member of the Granite City Board of Realtors and the Southwestern Illinois Regional Listing Service.

After becoming a Busch licensed Realtor in 1978, Busch has consistently been recognized as a top producer. The Illinois Association of Realtors has awarded her with lifetime achievement recognition in the Bronze (\$ million), Silver (\$2 million) and Gold (\$3 million) award for personal production.

In 1995, the Illinois Association of Realtors presented her with the Platinum (\$4 million) Award.

Busch also holds membership in the Minerva Women's Club, the Ellettes and the St. Elizabeth Ladies Society. She and her husband, Pat, have six children and reside in Granite City. CVM Realty, located at 1735 Pontoon Road, has the largest staff of full-time Realtors in Granite City.

### Senior menus

Donations for noon meals are \$2. Call day ahead for reservation, 877-4373.

**Wednesday, Nov. 20**  
Beef and noodles, tossed salad, broccoli, wheat bread, vanilla pudding.

**Thursday, Nov. 21**  
Chicken and dumplings, sliced beets, cole slaw, wheat bread, apple turnover.

**Friday, Nov. 22**  
Baked turkey and gravy, corn-bread dressing, sweet potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, dinner rolls, pumpkin pie with whipped topping.

**Monday, Nov. 25**  
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**Tuesday, Nov. 26**  
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## LOCAL NEWS

## Pontoon approves tax levy

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

The 1996-1997 tax levy and an ordinance to install a barricade at one end of the 4000 block of Oakmont Street were among items dealt with by the Pontoon Beach Village Board at Tuesday's meeting.

A levy of \$100,250 for the fiscal year from May 1, 1996, to April 30, 1997, was approved.

The amount to pay for the village's Social Security and Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund — is approximately 4.85 percent higher than last year's levy.

A public hearing is required if a levy is more than five percent higher than the previous year's.

An ordinance authorizing the installation of a traffic-control barricade in the 4000 block of Oakmont was also approved. Mayor Glen Wilson said after the meeting that the barricade had been requested by apartment owner Jim Green for both traffic and crime control.

The board also instructed the village clerk's office to notify ambulance companies and the Long Lake Fire Protection District about the changes.

The board also approved a recommendation by the village's zoning board to allow Gary Stark of ASF Development Inc. to install a third storage shed at 507 Old Rock Road.

At a public hearing on the property Nov. 4, there were no objections to the request. The land is zoned for business.

The board also approved a business license for J. Kim Sorensen and Scott Tomer, both of Worden, to operate an business at 4300 Crescent Drive. The business, Computernet, is an internet service.

In other business, the board approved a sales tax rebate of \$1,282.60 for First Choice Tire.

The rebate is for sales from April 1, 1995, to March 31, 1996. In other business, Comptroller Lou Whitsell said the board needs to consider transferring approximately \$15,000 in appropriations from the contingency fund to the auto expenses fund.

Action was delayed until the next meeting so trustees could meet with Whitsell.

He said the transfer is necessary because the police department obtained several new vehicles that had not been budgeted for.

The village cannot spend more than is budgeted on a specific line item. However, the budget has a contingency fund that can be transferred.

Whitsell said in a memo to the mayor and board that the total budget for auto expenses is \$30,000 and after bills approved at Tuesday's meeting were paid the village would have spent \$20,000.

Whitsell said there were several other funds that were close to going over and that the board needed to decide what to do with those funds.

## Philharmonic to perform

The Metro-East Junior Philharmonic Orchestra will give a "Fall Festival of Music" at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24, at Central Junior High School, 200 South Illinois Street (Illinois 159) in Belleville.

The concert is sponsored by the Belleville Philharmonic Orchestra.

Admission is free but donations are greatly appreciated.

There will be attendance prizes. To receive an attendance prize ticket, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Sharron Lindsey, 4807 West Main Street, Room 200, Belleville, 62223.

## Adopt pet Nov. 23

Madison County Humane Society is holding an adopt-a-pet day from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23, at PetsMart in O'Fallon.

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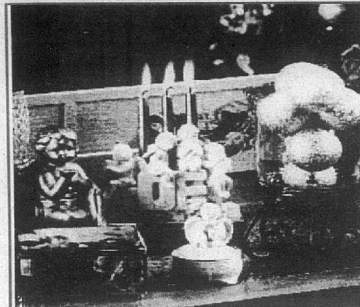
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# NEWS

## Girl Scouting: It's more than just cookies

The green of the River Bluffs Girl Scout Council is beginning to spread to some of the area's most troubled neighborhoods.

"We've been setting up groups in several housing areas throughout Madison and St. Clair counties," said Mary Hize, the council's fund development manager. "We go to 18 different sites, which includes four groups in Alton alone. It's a wonderful opportunity for the kids to get involved with Scouting when they may otherwise not have the chance."

The council wants to continue providing Scouting to all children at all economic levels and relies heavily on United Way funding.

"We've been able to provide safe settings for the girls to meet, and the program has been very successful," Hize said. "The troops usually meet during the day, and they really get involved in all the routine activities. We served 1,250 girls in that program in 1995 and this year."

Programs provided by the Glen Carbon-based River Bluffs Council, which covers Madison, St. Clair, Jersey, Calhoun and parts of Macoupin, Bond and Greene counties, target girls between 5 and 17. Hize said membership in Madison and Jersey counties totals 2,150 girls and about 565 adult volunteers.

"We have so many wonderful programs and service projects going on," Hize said. "We're known for

cookies, but we offer so much more. That is only one of our success stories. We have so many."

Hize said the Madison and Jersey county areas are service-oriented, which keeps the Scouts busy stocking food pantry shelves, collecting winter clothing for the homeless and chipping in on Make a Difference Day.

"We've been doing the food drive now for eight years," Hize said. "The food we collect stocks the shelves at some of the smaller pantries for six months."

Members also collect winter coats for neighbors who can not afford to replace worn garments.

"We also volunteer at the Oasis Women's Center in Alton, make friendship boxes for disaster relief with the American Red Cross and participate in several community cleaning projects picking up debris from roadways."

Hize said 18 percent of the council's \$1.5 million annual

budget comes from three United Way chapters, including the United Way Partnership, United Way of Greater St. Louis-Illinois Division and the United Way of the Tri-Cities.

Members continue to use the Discovery Center at Camp Torqua in Edwardsville, added in 1990, which gives girls hands-on environmental education.

The council also sponsors Kids on the Block, a puppet show that helps girls deal with issues like child abuse, drug abuse and violence. The program is in its third year.

Camping is still a large part of Scouting. Camp Torqua, Camp Chanyata in Prairieview, Camp Keck in Belleville and Camp Butterfly in St. Louis are all available to River Bluffs Council's Scouts.

Funding from the United Way, cookie sales and donations is used to pay for programs and camps, staff training, resources and administrative expenses.

— From The Telegraph

## Blood drive to salute injured officer

The Belleville Area College Police Academy wants to borrow arms Thursday — of the flesh and blood variety — in a show of support for Collinsville police officer Rich Pyles.

The Academy will sponsor a blood drive in Pyles' honor for the American Red Cross from 1 to 7 p.m. at Gateway Center.

Pyles, 37, the department's K-9 officer, was seriously injured Nov. 4 in a crash that killed

two people and injured a third. Pyles is in a rehabilitation program after being released from a St. Louis hospital last week.

Pyles was en route to Fairmont City, answering a call for assistance in a suspect search from authorities there, when the crash occurred on U.S. 40 at Arlington. According to Pyles, the car pulled into the intersection — and Pyles' path.



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## LOCAL NEWS



**Christmas ideas** — The Granite City Park District's Christmas Ideas Festival will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23 at the Brown Recreation Center in Granite City. Here, Sharon Pfroender displays sweat shirts with interchangeable panels, appliqued cardigans and denim, and appliqued Christmas decorations — all among the crafts that will be on display.

### Chorus to perform Sunday

The Gateway Sounds Chorus of Sweet Adelines will present the "Harmony Falls Festival" at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 23, at Kreider Auditorium at Webster School, 108 W. Church in Collinsville.

The festival will include performances by SPEBS quartet "Back Beat" from Florida; Jennifer Self, the scholarship recipient, of Edwardsville; plus a skit and barbershop harmony performed by the Gateway Sound chorus. The guest director will be Cheryl Wessel.

Advance tickets are \$8 for adults, \$5 for seniors/students/children. They are available at Stitch 'N Thyme, 201 W. Main in Collinsville or Montage Used Book Store, 200 Southview Plaza #10 in O'Fallon, or call Charlotte Starr at 797-6426 and leave a message. Tickets at the door will be \$10 and \$6 respectively.

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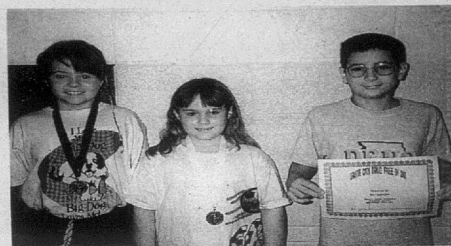
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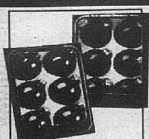
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Sears Homelife  
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- Anita Kickham St. Louis

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**Art Voellinger**  
**Statham formula has 'Cats purring'**

Simply said — Harry Statham is up to it again at McKendree College. Winning, sure, but you'd think after all these opposing coaches would catch on to the crafty boss of McKendree men's basketball.

No need to dwell on Harry's 661 victories entering his 30th season at the Lebanon College. Just dwell on his method.

In a recent game against Missouri Baptist, a most formidable foe in the American Midwest Conference preseason tournament, the Bearcats rallied for an 84-78 victory that was a credit to Statham.

Outrebounded 4-30 by Missouri Baptist, which also had a 17 of 22 free throw edge over the Cats' 16 of 25, McKendree prevailed with what I call the "Statham Formula."

You see, a total of 10 McKendree players reached double figures — not in points but in minutes played — and therein lies the difference. Statham shuffles players so adroitly, he'd be a cliche as a dealer on the Casino Queen.

Consider that leading scorer Marty Adams had 20 points in 31 minutes of court time. Consider again that reserve Ryan Mitchell had 11 points in 18 minutes.

Sure, Brian Schutz added 12 points and Marcus Prewitt 10, but the minutes played by a total of 11 Cats led to more than just points. Missouri Baptist was forced into 26 turnovers compared to 16 for McKendree, and that did not come about with anything but players seeking playing time, getting it and applying defensive pressure.

From a high of 31 minutes for Adams, the McKendree roster read as follows: Chad Mills, 28; Prewitt, 22; Jeff Thayer, 20; Schutz, 10; Dwight Russell, 17; Mitchell, 16; Andre Taylor, 16; Jason Schneider, 14; Lawrence Simmons, 12; and Moore, 5.

Final statistics would show the McKendree starters — forwards Taylor and Schutz, center Prewitt and guards Mills and Adams — with a total of 53 points, leaving 31 accounted for by reserves. Depth? Statham creates it while McKendree reaps the rewards as a perennial NAIA power.

**OVERTIME:** McKendree's return to football for the first time since 1951 was completed with a 3-5 record, a credit to coach Carl Poelker, who like others found the size, strength and speed of players on the NAIA level most impressive.

The Cats dressed 121 players, mostly freshmen, but will need good recruiting years to support the experience gained this season.

From the I Didn't Know That Dept.: SIU-Carbondale men's basketball coach Rich Herrin played both basketball and football at McKendree. Herrin was recognized twice recently at McKendree for having been a member of the 1951 football team and for being a member of the men's basketball 1,000-point club with his 1,423 points from 1951-56.

Herrin and the Salukis will be part of an intriguing double-header Wednesday, Dec. 4, at the Kiel Center in St. Louis, where SIUC will oppose St. Louis U. after Illinois State (coached by Kevin Stallings of Collinsville) goes against DePaul.

SIUC is expected to improve on its 11-18 record of last season due to the presence of former Carbondale High teammates Rashad Tucker, a 6-7 junior college transfer, and Troy Hudson, a 6-1 returning starter who averaged 21.3 points per game last season.

In a 93-69 exhibition loss to Athletics in Action, Tucker scored 18 points while Hudson was sidelined for disciplinary reasons.

**FOOTNOTE:** Former Granite City High football star (See ART, Page 4B)

## 3 Warriors throw their weight around for Meramec

By Brian L. Jones  
Correspondent

St. Louis Community College at Meramec is heavily favored to pin down its 21st consecutive winning record this junior-college wrestling season.

Legendary Meramec coach Ron Mirikitani returns six starters, including two second team All-Americans, from last year's team that went 15-1 in dual matches and placed 10th at the NJCAA national championships in Bismark, N.D. Meramec also had placed 10th in the nation in '94.

One of its returning All-Americans is sophomore Tony Buchek in the 177-pound weight class. Buchek heads a contingent of three former Granite City High School all-stars who not only start this year for Meramec, but are projected by Mirikitani to qualify for the '97 NJCAA meet on March 1 in Bismark.

The two other GCHS alumni are sophomore 134-pounder T.J. Slay, who looks to rebound from a frustrating freshman season — by his high standards — and newcomer John Venne (158), who may be the best of Meramec's four blue-chip freshman recruits.

GCHS fans may recall Slay and Venne being the last two Metro East Wrestler of the Year selections when they each won state titles in 1995 and 1996, respectively.

In fact, Buchek, Slay and Venne were the nucleus leaders for coach Mike Garland's dominant GCHS teams that qualified for the state quarterfinals the last two seasons. All three grapplers were off to 2-0 starts after Meramec's first two dual bouts this season.

"I think the Granite City boys are a

tribute to their program over there," said Mirikitani, whose Meramec Warriors not to be confused with the Granite City Warriors — took a 2-0 team record into the big Iowa State Cyclone Invitational on Sunday in Ames, Iowa.

The Warriors will next compete in the St. Louis Open on Friday and Saturday. Mirikitani enters that meet with a national junior-college record of 326 career wins in 26 years at Meramec. He is one of the nation's foremost evaluators of college wrestling talent and

(See MAT, Page 4B)



Jason Neusel of CBC races against Warrior Cory Winfield. CBC beat SLUH in the Class 4A state quarterfinals 1-0.

## OT goal slips CBC past SLUH

By Karl Kessler  
Correspondent

In each of three previous meetings this fall, CBC and St. Louis University High had battled to one-goal decisions.

It came as no surprise then that Saturday night's fourth meeting between the two boys soccer powers — this time in the Class 4A state quarterfinals at Anheuser-Busch Conference & Sports Centre — would be a tightly contested match with a break here or there determining the outcome.

Senior Ryan Ferguson created and sophomore Derek Meyers completed the biggest opportunity in the match when Meyers slipped a goal into the SLUH net after nearly 100 minutes of play, giving CBC a 1-0 victory.

CBC owned 3-2 and 2-1 early-season wins

against SLUH, while the Junior Billikens gained a 1-0 triumph against the Cadets less than three weeks ago.

Meyers' goal, just his third of the season, came with less than two minutes remaining in the second of two 10-minute sudden-death overtime periods.

It also boosted the Cadets (25-4-2) into a state semifinal matchup against Springfield Kickapoo (20-4-2) Friday at 8 p.m. at A-B Conference & Sports Centre.

Ferguson, the team's leader in goals and assists, nudged the ball from amid a group of Junior Billikens in front of the net to Meyers, whom had broken free from the defense just to the left of the goal.

"Fergy did a great job to get the ball to me," Meyers said. "I just went to the goal, and he somehow got it there."

(See SOCCER, Page 4B)

## Bigger roster will aid Cougars' hunt for respectable season

By Brian Bretsch  
Staff writer

Last season was definitely one of almost helplessness for Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville men's basketball coach Jack Margenthaler.

Margenthaler coached the entire second semester of the basketball season with just seven players. Despite the lack of depth, the Cougars finished the year 10-15 overall and 7-13 in the Great Lakes Valley Conference.

Depth should definitely not be a problem this season for the Cougars, who are 1-0 on the young season.

"We have nine or 10 players we think that can play," Margenthaler said. "Our starting lineup will change with every game probably depending on practice, performance and the opponent we are going to go up against. We look for that to change consistently. We think that our players understand that it is not the starting role that is important it is the minutes and the quality

minutes they play. We think that we have a number of people who are going to play a number of minutes."

"Now I get to make some decisions as to who goes into the ballgame. Last year, there wasn't anybody sitting on the bench but the managers and the assistant coaches. We hoped we don't over coach. That is the one thing we have to be careful about."

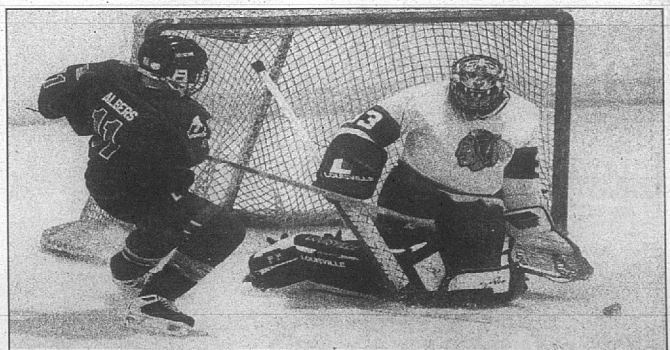
The added depth this season should make the Cougars a much stronger rebounding and defensive team. The

Cougars were near the bottom of the GLVC in those two statistical areas a year ago.

"We think we have improved in both of those areas," Margenthaler said. "But we have only played in two games so far so it is hard to evaluate that. I think that we are better in the defensive end of the floor and certainly we are a better rebounding team this year."

"I think some of the guys who are

(See COUGARS, Page 3B)



The Granite City Warriors played Francis Howell Monday. For scores and highlights, look in Thursday's Press Record. At left, Mikal Guffey takes a slap shot. Above, Tony Evans makes a save at point-blank range.

(Staff photos by JOHN FRESSE)







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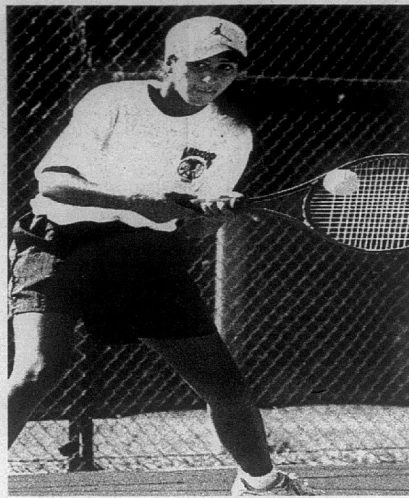
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Kelli Ricks and Jo Jo Ferguson, Belleville West; Christy Hoeft and Kate Woltering, Belleville East; Katie Dezort and Jessica Carlie, Edwardsville; Amie Ogile and Amanda Wagoner, Edwardsville.

**Honorable mention**

**Singles**  
Laura Barnhill, Edwardsville.

**Doubles**  
Allison LaForte and Bethany Meinardi, Belleville East; Tara Grandcolas and Jane Briedenbach, Belleville West; Sarah Judge and Kristen Boedeker, Edwardsville.



(Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK JR.)

Granite City High tennis player Geeta Kumar was named to the all-Southwestern Conference second team.

## Box

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weiser Boxing Showdown has raised almost \$300,000 for the St. Louis Backstoppers, a 1,000-member organization which assists the families of police officers or firefighters who lose their lives in the line of duty. St. Louis Circuit Attorney Dee Joyce Hays is current Backstoppers president.

The Showdown was created and is sponsored by Jerry Clinton, chairman and CEO of Grey Eagle Distributors, the St. Louis County wholesaler of Anheuser-Busch products.

Tickets are \$25, \$20 and \$15 and may be purchased by calling (314) 351-7855, a 24-hour ticket hot line.

Hal Richardson, Backstoppers' executive director, said the organization provides victims' families with immediate and longer-term financial aid, including paying current debts and assisting with mortgages and children's educational expenses.

In addition to Madison and St. Clair counties in Illinois, the Backstoppers cover St. Louis City and the Missouri counties of St. Louis, St. Charles, Jefferson and Franklin.

"The Showdown is a great evening of fun for the boxers, their departments, family and friends," said Clinton.

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## SPORTS

## •Mathews

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"The only reason that they're allowing me to do it is because this is going to be first-class. It's going to represent the Cardinals. I don't think if I was in a barn or something they would let me do it."

Construction on the facility began in June, and the final pieces of the puzzle were put together this past week in preparation for the opening. Saturday, a special preview hosted by Mathews was held for 100 lucky *Suburban Journals* readers and their families. The winners were selected at random from those who sent in a *Journal* coupon.

While three cages are exclusively for taking batting practice off automatic pitching machines, a big part of the training center focuses on instruction. Mathews will be the main baseball instructor while Sandy Hammonds will handle the softball instruction.

## •Mat

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rates Slay and Venne close to Buchek as legitimate national qualifying contenders.

"They all have good basic skills coming out of high school and they have a strong work ethic," Mirikitani said. "They work real hard in the room, they're very eager to win and they're very coachable. I think they'll all do well."

Buchek is coming off a 34-11 freshman record, which included an impressive fourth-place finish at 177 during the nationals. He also had placed second at the NJCAA's Central Zone Tournament, out of which the top two placers in each weight class advanced to nationals.

Buchek's two victories at 177 this year have been by 7-1 and 8-1 scores.

"Tony's focused on winning it all this year," Mirikitani said. "They rank the top eight in the nation in each weight class, and I'm certain he'll be in the top three when they come out soon. He's one of the best juco wrestlers in the nation."

Mirikitani said no wrestler in his two-year program has improved more steadily since his initial arrival than has

But the 34-year-old Mathews — who pitched for the Cardinals from 1986-90 — also plans to have several former Cardinal teammates and other major-leaguers as guest instructors on a pretty regular basis. One of the big events scheduled is the Whitey Herzog coaches clinic Nov. 23. For more information about the facility, call 926-7396.

Mathews has been running baseball camps in the St. Louis area the last three summers after his eight-year major-league career was cut short after the 1993 season in large part because of arm problems, and he hopes the training facility can open doors for youngsters to enhance their games.

"As a player, St. Louis was supportive, so I decided to make this my home," Mathews said. "My career was ended shortly. I feel like in a way this is kind of fulfilling part because of arm problems, and he hopes the training facility can open doors for youngsters to enhance their games."

Buchek. He remains surprised that the 192 Buchek won a state title at GCHS. Buchek placed second at state at 171 pounds as a senior, though his four-year career prep record was a remarkable 121-33.

"He's learned how to use his legs and he's become a more devastating on top," Mirikitani said. "He punishes people on top and he turns them. Without question, his strength is at the top position."

Venne, who won the 160-pound prep state title last February, is another tall, rangy customer who's tough to bring down. However, when he is down, the 6-2 freshman has above-average escape techniques.

"John's very aggressive for a kid as tall and thin as he is," Mirikitani said. "He's a very good mat wrestler. He's probably better on the mat than he is on his feet."

Slay, a compact wrestler at 5-6, brought similar credentials to Meramec after winning his prep state title at 130 pounds two years ago. Still the all-time Metro East record holder with 161 career wins at GCHS, Slay was simply a victim of bad timing as a Meramec rookie.

his freshman season with an interesting travel schedule.

The Badgers were scheduled to play at Iowa on Nov. 16, at Illinois on Nov. 23 and at

Along with the new Performance Arena at Lindenwood College and the proposed 10,000-seat True Family Arena (funding has not been finalized) in St. Charles, Watkins said the training facility is another gem for the county.

"His dream is to set up a training center," Watkins said, "and we're just happy that his dream is going to happen out here in St. Charles County."

"I like St. Charles County because it's the fastest growing area in America," Mathews said. "I did (baseball) camps and this is where my camps did the best. I talked to people and I talked to the Cardinals, and we both agreed that this would be the perfect place to start the business."

While Mathews — who is the co-owner along with his cousin, Steve Serafini — is all tied up with getting the St. Peters facility up and running, he hopes to eventually expand the training centers throughout the

Talented Mike Ridings of Hazelwood (Mo.) who was returning last year for his sophomore season at 134 pounds. Slay couldn't possibly drop to the lower 128 class, so he was forced to wrestle off with Ridings in preseason tryouts.

"Mike Ridings won the starting position and went on to become an (honorable mention) All-American for me, so that was no knock on T.J.," Mirikitani said. "In fact, T.J. won the wrestle-off at 145 and started for us there. But that was a difficult adjustment for him and he also went through some personal problems that interfered with his wrestling."

Slay managed to win more than 20 matches, but missing the nationals was a setback in his future plans to join Buchek as an advanced next year to four-year college programs. Slay has trained hard for the best season of his life to get back on course.

"He's really determined this year," Mirikitani said. "He's back in his proper weight class and he's being very successful at it. I'm counting on T.J. I think he's also got a chance to be ranked in the top eight this year."

Hawaii on Nov. 30. At Granite City, the 6-foot-3 Janek not only was an all-star in football but captained the wrestling team and had more than 100 career wins.

## •Soccer

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St. Louis area.

In addition to getting some quality instruction or taking some cuts in the cages, people can also work on their golf swing in a couple of the cages. Food and drinks are available, and the facility also includes a game room, lounge and big-screen TV.

And heck, Mathews said it wouldn't be out of the ordinary to see some major-leaguers show up for an occasional workout during the offseason.

"I think that's going to be fun — just the novelty of it all — that kids can come here and you never know who's going to be here," Mathews said.

"It's going to be a neat place to hang out for kids. We're going to offer everything and still keep the family atmosphere — where everybody in the family can come in here and do something."

Meyers' goal skipped into the corner of the net, and sent a joyous group of Cadets into a team sprint to the other end of the field, where they could appropriately reward hundreds of their schoolmates for their spirited support.

"At this point, we're doing it for the seniors," Meyers said. "They've been picking us up all year long. Tonight, it was our turn."

CBC coach Terry Michler, who picked up the 501st victory of his 26-year career with the win, said, "It could have gone either way tonight. But the ball bounced our way."

"This was the type of night that shows that there are no guarantees in this game. You have to fight for everything."

SLUH coach Charlie Martel was gracious in accepting the loss, although he admitted to

looking for a foul call against the Cadets during the match-winning play. No call was made, though.

"You must give credit to (CBC)," Martel said. "They seized the day on the break they got."

CBC goalie Mike Gallagher, a junior, turned in a phenomenal match, including a couple of superb saves.

One came on a leaping, one-handed tip in the upper left-hand corner of the net with eight minutes left in the first half.

But his best stop came with 26 minutes to go in the second half when he came out of net and deflected away just enough of a breakaway blast by SLUH's Taylor Twellman to send the shot wide left.

Twellman, a junior, entered the match with 47 goals this season.

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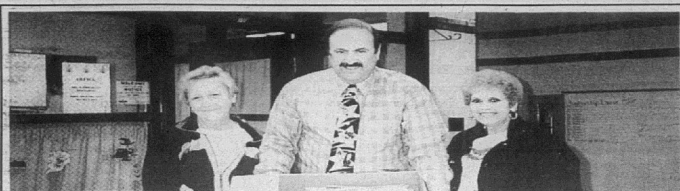
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### St. Mary's holds ball

St. Mary's Activities Committee will sponsor its 21st Annual Snowman's Ball Saturday, Dec. 7 at Engelbert Hall, 10th Street and Washington Avenue, Madison. Dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m., catered by Petri's. Reservations must be made by Dec. 2 by calling Tom Gordon at 451-1691.

## Madison FCA to hold charity event

The Madison Senior High School Fellowship of Christian Athletes is sponsoring their 15th Annual Charity Basketball Game for the needy families of Madison and Vero. This benefit will be held on Thursday, Nov. 21 at the Madison High gymnasium from 6 to 9:30 p.m. There will be two turkeys given away as door prizes at half-time of the "Battle of the Churches" game. Last year, the benefit collected nearly 1,000 cans and over 100 food baskets were distributed. It is hoped that

those numbers can be equaled or surpassed. The admission to the benefit game will be a donation of \$1 for students with student ID or three cans of food and \$2 for adults or four cans of food. All students sixth grade and below must be accompanied by an adult. The school is asking that canned good donations be recently purchased, with labels, and in good condition. No soft goods, please! The canned goods collected will then be given out in baskets to needy families throughout the community.

As the number of baskets has increased in recent years, families will be asked to pick up baskets from the Madison High School, Room 102.

FCA Sponsors include Vanessa Brown, William Adams, Crystal Clark, and Lela Prince at the high school. Middle School sponsors include Olivia Steptoe and Al Collins.

If you have additional donations, questions, or suggestions, contact Lela Prince at 876-7010 before Nov. 21.

## Yerton to speak at Calvary Pentecostal

Calvary Pentecostal Assembly, 4650 Maryville Road in Granite City, will be hosting a weekend meeting with the Rev. Dale Yerton Nov. 23-24. The public is invited. Yerton will be speaking both Saturday and Sunday evenings at 7:30 p.m., as well as at 9:45 a.m. Sunday.

Yerton is a missionary-evangelist who has ministered in 18 different nations. He has been involved in a variety of aspects of Christian ministry

over the past 38 years, and currently serves as president of The Living Faith Inc., and Presbyter with Worldwide Missionary Evangelism.



**New members** — At the September Come-Back Party of the Eagles Auxiliary two new members were enrolled. Pictured, from left, are re-enrolled member Angelina Dame, President Susan Allen, re-enrolled member Nancy Shipley and Membership Chairman Joanna Spencer.

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EDWARDSVILLE — A 15-year-old homeless youth begged for his life while three of his acquaintances twisted his neck, stomped on his chest and dropped a 85-pound concrete block on his head, a prison inmate testified in court.

"When the concrete block hit his head, it sounded like his head crushed," said Perrie Gibson, 17, of Madison, who is serving a 16-year prison sentence for attempted first-degree murder. "You could hear the blood pour from his head. God, it sounded awful."

Gibson testified Wednesday in the attempted murder trial of William Smith, 20, of Venice, Gibson, Smith and Erskine Thompson, 18, of Madison, were arrested in August 1995 after they were implicated in the near-fatal beating of Anthony Cammack, 15, of Granite City.

Cammack, who had been homeless, was beaten unconscious in a Granite City home July 29, 1995, and remains in a coma in a health care facility near Champaign.

Madison County Assistant State's Attorney Robert Trone, who is prosecuting Smith, said Cammack never regained consciousness after the concrete block was dropped on his head. He was left in an alley for more than 12 hours before he was found.

Gibson, who pleaded guilty to the attempted murder charge earlier this year, said he watched in horror as Smith picked up the concrete block and dropped it on Cammack's face.

"It was horrible," he said. "He dropped it on his head two or three times, and we all ran away."

Gibson said he, Smith and Thompson were mad at Cam-

mack because of an incident the night before the attack. Gibson said the three believed Cammack attempted to set them up by sending them into a housing project where a group of men were waiting to beat them.

Gibson said they managed to run away from the group without injury and ran into Cammack the following day.

"We saw (Cammack), and he asked us to help him because he was supposed to fight some people that night," Gibson said.

Gibson said the four ended up in an alley in the 2000 block of Edison Street, and Smith knocked Cammack to the ground.

"Smith was strangling him

to the ground," Gibson said. "I heard (Cammack) beg Smith to leave him alone. He said, 'No, please don't kill me. I will do anything. Please just don't take my life.'"

Gibson said he and Thompson kicked Cammack in his ribs while Smith twisted his neck. He said Thompson and Smith then found the concrete block and dropped it on Cammack's legs, ribs, chest and head before running off.

Gibson said the three met again the next day at a Granite City home and watched a television news report about the attack.

"We started watching the news report, and it said (Cammack) was badly beaten in an alley and there were no wit-

nesses. William Smith started jumping for joy," Gibson said. "He kept saying we were free because there were no witnesses. We were all hugging

and jumping up and down, and that's when I looked out the window and saw a policeman with a gun pointed at my head," he said.

The trial was to resume in the courtroom of Associate Judge Larry Keshner.

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## Calendar of events

Our event calendar also includes entries for community groups and their normal meeting days. Such groups meet on the first Monday of the month, the first Tuesday of the month, etc. Readers are encouraged to call these groups if holidays or other days pose uncertainty.

Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 876-2000.

This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

## Wednesday, Nov. 20

Granite City Business and Professional Women, meeting at Jerry's Cafeteria. Dinner at 6:30 p.m., followed by a program at 7:15. Open to the public. For more information call 453-5391 or 451-8914.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 53 will offer a service

officer from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St. in Granite City. Call 876-7816 for more information.

Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens bingo, noon, 3010 Illinois 111, Pontoon Beach.

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in 4-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m., Gateway Foundation, 600 W. Lincoln Ave., Caseyville. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth School's Noah's Ark Day Care, Pontoon Road, Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

Divorced and separated Group Ministry, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 908 Second Street, Edwardsville, 656-9268.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Madison Community Action Group, meets at 7 p.m. For more information call Dan at 452-2336 or Diane at 876-1360.

## Thursday, Nov. 21

Alzheimer's Support Group meets from 8:30 to 9 p.m. in the President's Room, inside Bonaventure's Cafeteria, on the ground floor of St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 2100 Madison Ave. The group focuses on addressing the questions and concerns of caregivers and family members of people with Alzheimer's. All meetings are to be open to all members. Call 798-3018 for more information.

Lions Club of Pontoon Beach meets at 8:30 p.m. at the Lions Den, 3901 Lake Drive in Pontoon Beach. Anyone interested in helping the visually or hearing impaired are welcome. Call Bob at 797-0747 for more information.

Church Women United will meet at 10 a.m. at the Holy Family Community Center.

Bemis Chiropractor, 3361 Fehling Road in Granite City, is offering free electronic spinal screening from 9 a.m. to noon. Call 876-2273 for more information.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

Eagle Park Acre Seniors of Madison meet from 10 a.m. to noon at 100 Hill St. (rear), Eagle Park Acres, Madison.

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Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 2363, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center, 2906 Edwards St. For information, 797-6351 or 877-2784.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9405.

Granite City Community Band rehearsals, 7:30 to 9 p.m., St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 931-0443.

## Friday, Nov. 22

Granite Chapter 650 Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City.

Hereditary Ataxia (a disorder of nerve cells in the spinal cord and cerebellum) support group. Call Curt Williams, 877-5172, for information.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. in the Milonski Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 463-2429 for more information.

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Friday Afternoon Pinochle Club seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. at the Harold Brown Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-0330 for more information.

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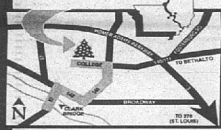
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"The church is not gone. The church is still alive and still here," he said, referring to the congregation around him.

"The building is a building, but the church is us. God lives in us, and God is doing something outstanding here."

Moments later, the Rev. Crank donned a white hard hat and lined up with members of the congregation to turn the first shovel of dirt.

"We are excited God is making a new beginning here. We have a lot of days and a lot of decisions to make," he said.

The congregation expects to collect \$1.1 million insurance on the old building plus \$100,000 on contents, but the payments may not replace all that was lost, including furnishings.

Roofers had apparently applied a flammable sealant patch to the church roof that caused the accidental fire. The

contractor was not insured. — From The Telegraph

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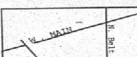
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# Senior news

For holiday entertaining

## Modify those 'feast' recipes

(The following article was submitted by the Memorial Hospital clinical dietitians.)

The next couple of months will bring about many opportunities for friends and families to get together. Many of these gatherings will include meals or "feasts" which may pose special problems for those who are on special diets.

These holiday events can be a challenge even for someone who is just trying to watch their weight/what they eat. The following pointers may help you through the upcoming months of festivities:

As the guest, you will need to watch what you eat or you may find the holiday season could bring unwanted extra pounds or elevated blood glucose levels.

You can modify difficult habits by:

- 1) Plan ahead! If you tend to overeat at parties, eat a low-calorie snack before you go to the party.
- 2) If you tend to nibble on leftovers after a meal, clear the table quickly or plan other activities after a meal.
- 3) Keep a food record if you have trouble remembering what you've eaten during the day.
- 4) Slow down when eating or drink a glass of water before and after meals if you don't feel full after a meal.

On the other hand as the host/hostess, there are some basic changes you could make to help your guests:

- 1) Have a variety of lower-fat, lower-calorie choices available.

(examples could be raw vegetables or pretzels with low-fat yogurt base or salsa-base dips)

- 2) Prepare grain or vegetable dishes without the added cream, butter, cheese or oily dressings.
- 3) Offer fruit as a choice with the desserts.
- 4) Use low-saturated-fat or lower-fat substitutions for ingredients in your favorite recipes when possible.

When A Recipe Calls For....	Use Instead...
Chocolate	3 Tablespoons powdered cocoa mixed with 1 tablespoon oil
Eggs (2 whole)	1/2 cup cholesterol-free egg substitutes or 4 egg whites
Solid Shortening	margarine or vegetable oil (if oil, use slightly less)
Butter	margarine
Whole Milk	1% or nonfat milk, or buttermilk
Cheese	lower-fat processed cheese
Sour Cream	low or nonfat sour cream alternative
A Buttered Pan	nonstick cooking spray
Basting w/ butter or drippings	wine, fruit juice, or broth
Buttered Bread Crumbs	crushed cereal
A Stuffed Bird	stuffing cooked outside the bird
Chocolate Chips	raisins
Sausage, Ground Beef	lean ground turkey or chicken drained of fat

Graphic by M. Cook & D. Randazzo

Whether you are the guest or the host, remember to take care of you. Even though many friends/family will say "just once won't hurt" or "Christmas only comes once a year so go ahead", don't forget how important your health is. Also, don't forget to keep exercise as a part of your regular routine.

## Senior menus

### Nutrition site

Collinsville Senior Center, 420 E. Main Street  
Jarvis Twp. Senior Center, Tri-Township Park, Troy  
Granite City Senior Center, 2060 Delmar Avenue  
Edwardsville Senior Center, 1003 North Main Street

**Monday, Nov. 25**

Fried chicken, whipped potatoes with gravy, Scandinavian vegetables, wheat bread, orange sherbet.

**Tuesday, Nov. 26**

Beef stew, stew vegetables, cole slaw, biscuits, tropical fruit.

**Wednesday, Nov. 27**

Hamburger, scalloped potatoes, stewed tomatoes, bun, chocolate chip cookies.

**Thursday, Nov. 28**

SITE CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY.

**Friday, Nov. 29**

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Belleville East and Belleville West Dining Center  
Caseville Township Senior/Nutrition Center  
O'Fallon Senior Nutrition Center  
Millstadt Dining Center  
New Athens Dining Site

Smithton Senior Dining Center

**Monday, Nov. 25**

Roast turkey and gravy, bread dressing, cranberry sauce, green bean almondine, dinner roll, pumpkin pie with topping.

**Tuesday, Nov. 26**

Chicken noodle casserole (285), mixed vegetables (45), hot beets and onions (28), dinner roll (85), seasonal fruit (30).

**Wednesday, Nov. 27**

Meatloaf with country gravy (265), whipped potatoes (114), zucchini and tomatoes (34), wheat bread (61), peach crisp (230).

**Thursday, Nov. 28**

NO SCHOOL FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

**Friday, Nov. 29**

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Seniors 60 and over are always welcome. Meals are served at noon. The suggested donation is \$2 except in Caseville where it's \$2.25. All meals include 2 percent milk, bread and margarine. Numbers behind each item are calorie count. Items with an asterisk are high in sodium.

Reservations, due by 11 a.m. one day in advance, can be made by calling in Collinsville, 345-4880; for Jarvis, 667-2022; and for Caseville, 397-2882; Belleville East Dining Center, 277-6371; the Belleville West Dining Center, 234-6463; Millstadt Dining Center, 476-3731; New Athens Dining Site, 475-3683; and Smithton Senior Dining Center, 236-1200.

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Why not? You planned to own the home and capture the benefit of its increased value in the long run. So even if the value dropped for a week, you most likely would keep your home.

The "buy and hold" philosophy can also apply to mutual fund and stock investing. Equity investments, such as mutual funds and stocks, represent ownership in various companies just as "equity" refers to ownership of your home. If you plan to reap the benefits of owning your shares for the long term, daily fluctuations in the market should not prompt you to sell.

Stick to it: Some mutual funds and stocks will go up at the same time other funds are "out of favor" and going down. Successful long-term investing takes discipline to stick with your goals—not the trends of the market. Trying to follow a trend in the market often fails by the time you're aware of

which trend is "hot," it may already be yesterday's news. Time, not timing, seems to be key to long-term investing success.

Richard J. Ratterman is assistant vice president for the B.C. Ziegler and Company in St. Louis. He is a resident of Glen Carbon.

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**Horoscope**

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). You enjoy toying with people sometimes, but now it will be better to show a little mercy.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). Drawing boundaries at work will make you seem more in demand. Your mate will pre-

pare a pleasant surprise for you in the coming days.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). A bright idea may change tomorrow, so sleep on it.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). You can fix anything. If your date gets too inquisitive for your taste, tell him or her.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). Your recent earnings raised your morale. Whatever happens, you have to believe in your strength and intelligence.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Work on boosting your self-worth.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22). Magazines have insights that will make you money.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21). Needless self-criticism must stop now.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Love is met when you are preoccupied. Don't be impressed by a colleague's birthday bash.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). There are 30 reasons to hold off on financial decisions.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Your ability in sales is amazing. Maybe it's time to think of working for yourself.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). You know how to plan perfectly. The temptation to indulge in a bad habit can only be resisted when you treat the feeling underneath.

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## 'Set It Off' is a let down

Take "Boyz n the Hood," John Singleton's acclaimed 1991 film, turn the boys into girls, then make them a few years older and quite a bit more desperate to escape Los Angeles' mean streets.

What do you have? "Girlz n the Hood," maybe.

But then get the women to rob banks, sort of comically at first, but far more violently as time and trouble pile up.

The result is "Set It Off," a film that surpasses many of its kind for white-knuckle escapism suspense, but ultimately falls short due to its seemingly sincere but too-tentative effort to explore the hopelessness of ghetto life.

As the film opens, four life-long friends — Stony, Cleo, Tisean and Frankie — are living out their lives on the edge of downtown.

They're a mixed bag, from Frankie (Vivica A. Fox), the successful banker, to Cleo (Queen Latifah), the hard-drinking, hell-raising car thief.

They've been friends since first grade and, by now, friendship is thicker than blood.

They'd do anything for each other.

Stony (Jada Pinkett) and Frankie appear well on their way out of the neighborhood, but, as the film frequently reminds us, that's not easy when home is filled with hustlers and criminals, some of them simply good folks with no employment opportunities.

Frankie loses her job when a neighborhood acquaintance helps rob her bank, and Stony's brother is killed when terrified cops mistake the young man for one of the rob-

bers. Tisean (Kimberly Elise), meanwhile, is about to lose her baby to foster care because she can't work and watch him at the same time.

Their world collapsing around them, the three see robbing banks as their only alternative.

Just one quick job is all they plan, just to get enough money to turn things around and get out of town.

L.A. is, after all, the bank robbery capital of the world.

With all those buildings sitting full of cash, you can just walk in, take a pile of it, jump on a freeway and you're gone.

And Frankie was enough of an insider to know just how to do it.

Cleo, meanwhile, is a borderline psychopath with nothing better to do — and has the muscle and moxie to back the others up.

As such, Queen Latifah has the most challenging role, and the star of television's "Living Single" pretty much pulls it off, coming across as crazy, violent, dangerous — but in a likeable sort of way.

(The first thing she does after she steals a car is throw out all the lousy music and put a hot rap recording on.)

She is one of those all-but-impossible friends you cut a lot of slack because you figure, if anything really serious ever comes down, she'll be there for you.

Pinkett (recently seen in "The Nutty Professor") nearly steals the movie from her, though, playing Stony as smart enough to know better but too mad to really care anymore.

She is the film's most interesting personality.

All the women are appealing, though, and when they start robbing banks, you really don't want to see any of them get hurt or caught.

F. Gary Gray, who made his name directing music videos, plays on those sympathies well in his second feature film.

He achieves the same fast-action, cut-to-the-chase intensity of a video in the robbery sequences, bringing the audience to the edge of its seats each time.

Unfortunately, when the action lags, he is forced to labor with a script that asks us to suspend credibility too much — such as watching the very same cops go from being racist bumbler in one scene to crack criminals in the next.

Or showing us Stony's rich boyfriend (Blair Underwood), a Harvard-educated banker who sees nothing odd about embarking on a serious relationship with someone whose phone number, let alone address, he doesn't have.

And though it seems to try, the film has trouble showing any more of the downside of L.A.

The New Line Cinema release was produced by Dale Pollock and Oren Koules for Peak Productions.

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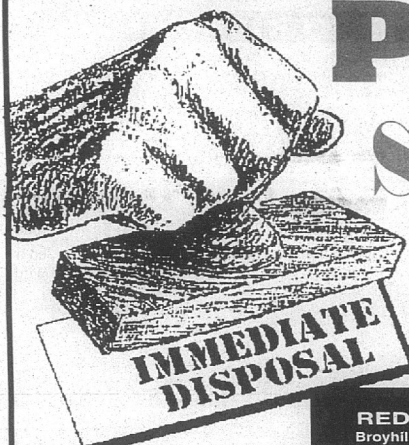
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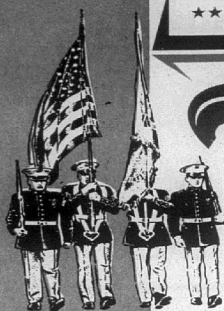
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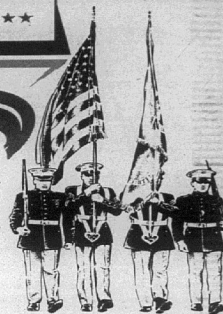
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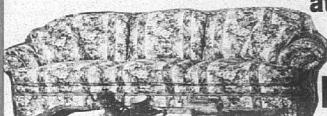
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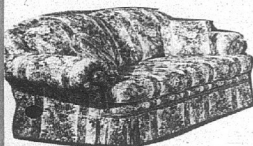


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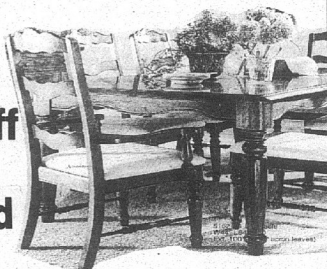


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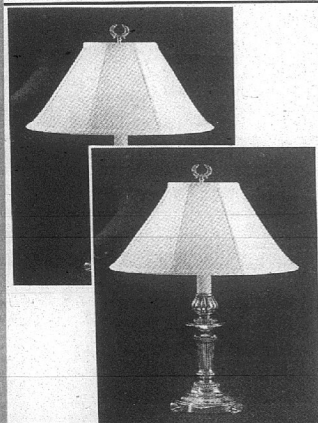
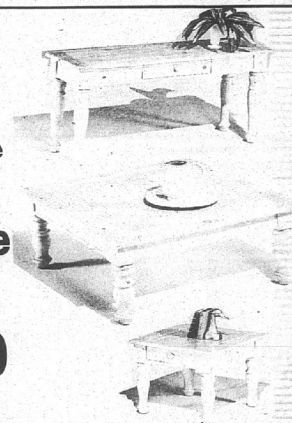


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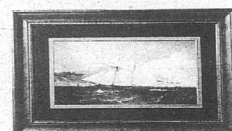


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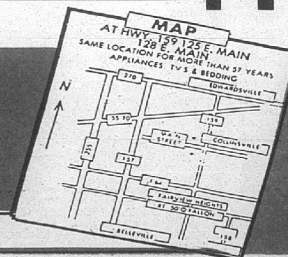
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# Today's Food

Wednesday, November 20, 1996

## Food & Nutrition

### Wise Ways

Before and during the winter holidays, thousands of cooks want to talk turkey with experts on the Butterball Turkey Talkline or the Meat and Poultry Hotline.

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### Heart-y Bites

Personal vibes about when to stop eating are values to be practiced, beginning in childhood, on holidays and other days of the year, too.

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### Blue Ribbon Cook

Winning butter cookie is rolled in nuts and topped with a rosy cherry.

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### Hometown Test Run

Our town's Gus makes pretzels that are available in supermarket freezers.

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### Micro Raves

Vegetables complete a meal with color, flavor, variety and nutrition unsurpassed by any other foods.

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### Lively Taste

For a healthy breakfast or snack, dessert or side dish, combine applesauce with plain or vanilla yogurt. Sprinkle with cinnamon. Serve cold.

## Health & Fitness

### Medicine Chest

Eating plans can be spotted as healthful or not by characteristics that set them apart.

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### Fresh Picks

Prepare individual sweet potatoes by wrapping each in aluminum foil and baking at 500° for 20 minutes. Lower temperature to 400° and bake until tender. When potato is cool, cut it in half. Scoop out pulp, saving the shell. To pulp of each potato add 1 teaspoon honey, plus cinnamon, ginger and nutmeg to taste. Beat with electric mixer until smooth. Spoon mixture back into shells. Sweet potatoes can be covered and refrigerated at this point early in the day. Bake in 350° oven 20 to 30 minutes until well heated.

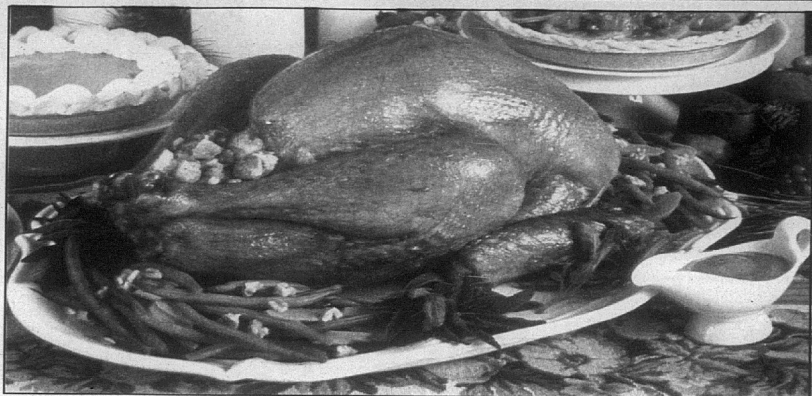
### Big Fat Tip

For flavorful mashed potatoes, cook with whole cloves of garlic in water, then mash with low-fat or nonfat milk. A sprinkle of salt helps pump up the flavor.

### Future Shop

The salad bar can be a Thanksgiving cook's best friend. Small quantities of celery, carrots and onion can be bought ready to be used in recipes. For best quality, buy the night before the feast. Add canned beans to bean salad, marshmallows and maraschino cherries to fruit salad and don't forget the cranberry sauce. A little grated orange peel added to canned whole berry cranberry sauce gives it the aura of relish made in the home kitchen.

## Turkey Trot



By Janice Denham  
Staff writer

**T**urkey and other hearty dishes that warm the autumn hearth and heart are the "stuff" of Thanksgiving.

Good news always has had a way of getting around. Even back in the 16th century special occasions found roast turkey as a centerpiece on European tables. While German, English and other Northern and Eastern European banquets served it to kings and clergy, American colonists found wild turkeys abundant and not regularly pursued as meat by Native Americans.

Because harvest festivals already were celebrated by people living

here when they arrived, colonists were glad to join a party where fun, food and games were part of a thanksgiving ritual. They probably were glad to put down their hoe and be grateful for survival, as well as sustenance in this new land.

Today's Thanksgiving feast is a wonderful ritual where for generations foods have been given ethnic twists that never dilute their relationship to bounty, harvest and gratitude.

Stuffing is made with cornbread or oysters. Beans are seasoned with mushroom soup and canned onions -- or chili powder or curry. One person's favorite pie is pumpkin, while another cannot wait to be offered pecan or mincemeat. Each menu is standard and part of tradition that endures beyond the weather and people gathered at the table in any one year.

SEE TURKEY, INSIDE TODAY'S FOOD PAGE 2

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Rick Tucker Graphic







# Today's Food

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## Recipe

### PUMPKIN TRIFLE

- 2 pkg. (4 servings each) vanilla instant pudding mix
- 4 cups cold milk
- 1 cup canned pumpkin
- 1 tsp. pumpkin pie spice
- 1 (10 1/2 oz.) frozen rectangular pound cake, thawed
- 1 cup whipping cream
- 2 tsp. confectioner's sugar
- 3/4 tsp. vanilla
- 1/4 cup coarsely chopped toffee-covered nuts, almond or pecan brittle, or toasted pecans

In large bowl, using wire whisk, mix pudding mix, milk, pumpkin and 1/4 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice until thickened. Cut cake crosswise in 16 slices. Line bottom of 2 1/2- to 3-quart straight-sided glass bowl or soufflé dish (about 8 1/2-inch diameter) with half the cake slices, cutting to fit. Spoon half the pumpkin mixture over cake. Arrange remaining cake slices on top, cutting to fit. Coarsely crumble any remaining cake and sprinkle on top of slices. Spoon remaining pumpkin mixture over cake.

Refrigerate, covered, 4 hours or overnight. Whip cream with confectioner's sugar, vanilla and remaining 1/4 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice until stiff peaks form. Spoon over top of trifle, spreading to edges. Sprinkle with nuts.

To serve, spoon trifle into individual bowls. Makes 10 servings.

### SEASONED SALAD PUFFS

In small bowl, combine 1/2 cup butter or margarine, melted, with 1 teaspoon chili powder, 3/4 teaspoon crushed basil leaves and 1/4 teaspoon garlic salt. Mix well.

In large bowl, drizzle butter mixture over 3 1/2 cups puffed rice cereal. Toss lightly until thoroughly coated. Sprinkle with 1/2 cup grated parmesan cheese, tossing lightly to coat evenly.

Spread cereal mixture in ungreased 15-by-10-inch jellyroll pan. Bake in preheated 350° oven about 12 minutes until golden and crisp. Cool completely.

Store in airtight container in refrigerator. To serve, sprinkle over tossed salad, soup or vegetables. Makes about 2 1/2 cups.

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### FEELING FIT

By Mark Lymbaropoulos

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What are the basics of a balanced diet to help protect against both heart disease and cancer? High in fiber, low in fat, rich in complex carbohydrates and vitamin-filled fruit and vegetables.

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# Today's Food

## Recipe

### INDIAN PUDDING

3 cups milk  
1/2 cup cornmeal  
2 eggs, beaten  
1/2 cup pancake syrup  
1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar  
cup raisins  
2 tbsp. butter or margarine  
1 tsp. cinnamon  
Pinch nutmeg

Preheat oven to 300°. Grease 1 1/2-quart casserole.

In 2-quart saucepan, mix together milk and cornmeal. Bring to boil over medium-high heat. Reduce heat. Over medium heat, cook and stir about 5 minutes until mixture begins to thicken.

Remove from heat. Stir 1/2 cup cornmeal mixture into eggs. Return to cornmeal mixture, mixing well. Cook and stir over low heat about 2 minutes until thickened.

Add syrup, brown sugar,

raisins, butter and cinnamon. Mix well. Pour cornmeal mixture into prepared casserole. Sprinkle with nutmeg. Cover. Place in 2-inch deep baking pan on oven rack. Pour hot water around casserole to within 1 inch of top of baking pan.

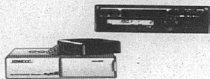
Bake in preheated oven about 2 hours until pudding is set in center. Uncover. Let stand at room temperature 30 minutes.

Serve with cream or whipped topping, if desired. Makes about 6 servings.

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# Today's Food

## Thanksgiving hits jackpot: turkey plus popped corn

There is more tradition to Thanksgiving than slicing a roasted bird. After the last bite of turkey have been wrapped in foil and piles of dishes have been scrubbed and put away, many Americans collapse on the sofa. But that is just a rest period for the remaining weekend. Jammed malls

welcome Friday's recovery on the busiest shopping day of the year and tourists enjoy the scenery on their annual family visits. Sometimes a game of Trivial Pursuit or checkers is the time for reconnecting with the family. Other times it might be a family movie or family photo

night, where everyone gathers in a place big enough to get comfortable.

Critical to the evening's success is snacks. Try popcorn on corn as a staple, so it makes sense that today it offers comfort power, too, when a family gathers. While bowls brimming with plain or buttered popcorn appeal in their own right, taste-tempting mixes spice things up.

In Parmesan Pizza Popcorn, a savory blend of tomato flavor, tangy parmesan cheese and crunchy popcorn makes this a favorite with young and old alike. Jazzy Popcorn has lots of flavor from only two ingredients. Golden Caramel Corn attracts a sweet tooth.

3 qt. popped popcorn  
1 to 1½ tsp. olive or vegetable oil  
1½ tsp. dry spaghetti sauce mix  
1½ tsp. grated parmesan cheese

Place popcorn in large bowl.

In small pan, heat olive oil. Drizzle over popcorn. Toss with spaghetti sauce mix and cheese.

Makes about 3 quarts.

Note: Depending on brand, one (3.5-ounce) bag microwave popcorn yields as much as 3½ quarts popped popcorn and 1½ tablespoons popcorn kernels yields about 1 quart.

microwave popcorn, popped  
1 tsp. (1½ oz.) cheese sauce mix or 1 pkg. (1½ oz.) dry milk taco seasoning mix

Pour popped popcorn into large bowl. Sprinkle with dry mix. Toss together. Serve immediately or cool before storing in airtight container.

Makes about 3½ quarts.

Combine popped corn with peanuts in large (4-quart) microwave-safe mixing bowl. Discard unpopped kernels.

In 1-quart glass cup or bowl, combine sugar, margarine and corn syrup. Microwave on high power about 1 minute until margarine melts. Stir. Microwave on high about 1 minute longer until mixture comes to full boil, then microwave on high 1½ minutes longer.

Stir in baking soda and vanilla until mixture is foamy. Pour over popped corn and peanuts, mixing until evenly coated. Microwave on high power 5 minutes, stirring twice.

Spread mixture on greased or buttered jelly-roll pan to cool. Mixture is very hot; use hot pads. Store tightly covered. Makes 3 quarts.

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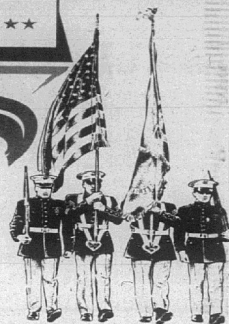
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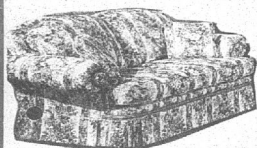
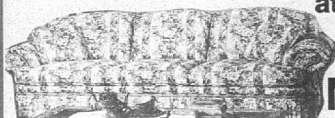
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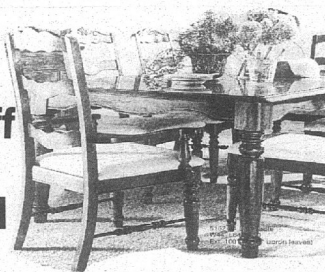
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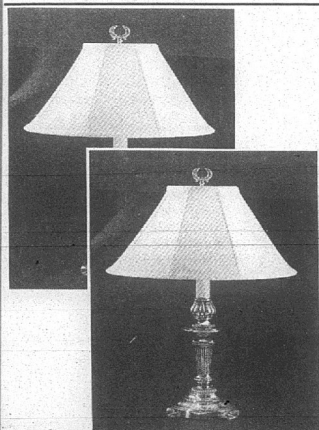
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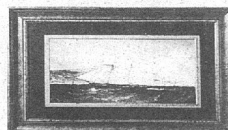


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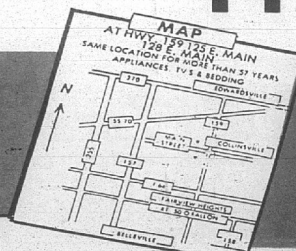
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# Today's Food

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## Heart-y Bites

By LIBBY MILLS

## Choices give opportunity to portion own foods

Accustomed to a demanding, fast-paced schedule and the luxury of convenience, I primarily eat to refuel. Whether it is at a restaurant, with a light frozen dinner or from a self-packed brown bag, I don't think much about portion. However, last Sunday, Lane and I drove an hour to now-barren cornfields to meet his parents for lunch. The rural restaurant reputedly served family-style. All morning I developed

strategies to avoid overeating—or worse, gorging which I imagined virtually unavoidable. I envisioned tables covered with brimming bowls of food, leaving nondiscriminating diners to serve themselves without the benefit of getting up for seconds. I found I overlooked the best strategy of all—common sense. Pasing over several deep-fried main dishes, three of us those baked chicken

with dressing and the fourth selected baked scrod. There was a spread besides: green beans, mashed potatoes, gravy, applesauce, red beets, cole slaw and biscuits with apple butter. Clearly we had healthful choices. I mentally placed each dish in all the Food Guide Pyramid categories I read from package labels of all the convenience foods I regularly eat. It certainly did not belong in the tiny "other"

category of seldom-eaten foods. It reminded me of what my grandmother served every Sunday when I was young. Without thought, I fell into my childhood pattern of trying a little of everything first. Instinctively I remembered I didn't have to finish every morsel and could get more if I was still hungry. It is easy to fall into the bad habit of eating everything. Sometimes when I

eat out or choose frozen food, I eat whatever is provided in front of me. Surprisingly, I seem to eat only what I want and need when food choices and portions are my decision. Registered dietician Libby Mills is a staff member of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

### MASHED POTATOES

10 medium potatoes (about 3 lb.)  
1 cup skim milk  
6 tsp. nonfat "butter" granules  
Freshly ground pepper to taste  
Boil unpeeled potatoes until they can be pierced easily with a fork.  
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## Cookies get cover of pecans, cherry

Violet Mueller, St. Louis, is this week's winner of dinner certificates to the Pasta House Co. for Butter Cookies with Cherry Centers.

This simple cookie becomes a star on the cookie plate as it is rolled in chopped pecans and centered with a cherry. The dough flattens out to become an easy-to-make winner in the annual cookie category.

Recipes for the Soup or Stew Recipe Contest should be postmarked by Nov. 30. Send an entry to: Soup or

### BUTTER COOKIES WITH CHERRY CENTERS

1/2 lb. (2 sticks) butter  
2 eggs, separated  
1 cup sugar  
1 3/4 cups flour  
Chopped pecans (about 1 cup)  
About 24 maraschino cherries, cut in half  
Preheat oven to 350°.  
Cream butter with sugar well. Add egg yolks. Beat until light. Add flour. Mix well. Refrigerating 10 to 20 minutes at this point helps firm dough.  
Beat egg whites just until stiff.  
Shape dough into small balls. Toss in egg white, then dip in pecans as desired. Place on ungreased baking sheet. Press 1/4 maraschino cherry in center of each ball of dough.  
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# Today's Food

## Recipe

### CREAMY MASHED POTATOES

2½ lb. potatoes, peeled, cut in large chunks  
½ cup sliced green onion  
2 cloves garlic, finely chopped  
½ cup (1 stick) margarine or butter

1 tbsp. chicken bouillon granules  
½ cup milk, heated  
1 pkg. (3 oz.) cream cheese, softened  
1 tbsp. prepared horseradish

Pepper, if desired  
In large saucepan, combine potatoes and enough cold water to cover potatoes. Cover. Bring to boil. Reduce heat. Simmer 20

minutes or until potatoes are tender.  
In skillet, cook onion and garlic in margarine until tender. Add bouillon. Drain potatoes. In bowl, mash potatoes with margarine mixture, milk, cream

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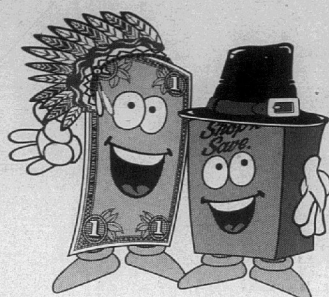
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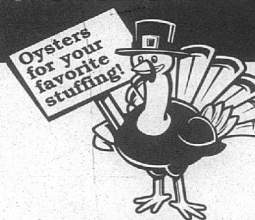
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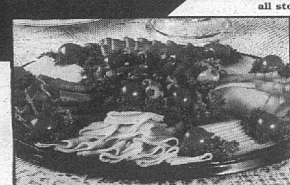
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**Shrimp**..... **499**  
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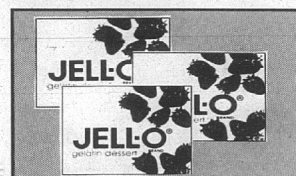
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12-OZ.  
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**Jell-O  
Gelatin**

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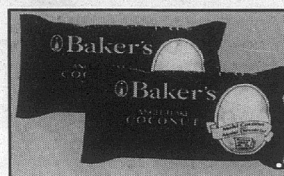
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ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Maxwell House  
Coffee**

**549**

36-39 OZ. CAN



**Bakers Angel  
Flake Coconut**

**95¢**

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Shells.....**

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Bacon Bits.....**

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REAL SEMI SWEET  
**Baker's  
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ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Kraft  
Chunk Cheese**

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**Kraft Parmesan  
Cheese.....**

**299**

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ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Kraft Shredded  
Cheese.....**

**3/\$5**

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REGULAR OR LIGHT  
**Kraft  
Cheez Whiz.....**

**299**

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STAGGER PACK  
**Kraft American  
Cheese.....**

**699**

3-LB. PKG.

PRE-PRICED \$3.99  
REGULAR OR LIGHT  
**Kraft Velveeta  
Cheese.....**

**387**

32 OZ. PKG.

2% MILK OR MEXICAN  
**Kraft  
Singles.....**

**2/\$3**

12 OZ. PKG.

REGULAR OR FAT FREE  
**Breakstone  
Sour Cream.....**

**79¢**

16 OZ. PKG.

BREAKSTONE FREE OR  
Light N Lively  
**Cottage Cheese...**

**149**

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**LIMIT ONE PLEASE WITH ON PACK COUPON Hillshire Farm Smoked Sausage 194¢ 1-LB. PKG.**

**R.B. Rice Chili..... 199¢ 1-LB. ROLL**

**BROWN N SERVE Swift Premium Sausage..... 99¢ 7-OZ. PKG.**



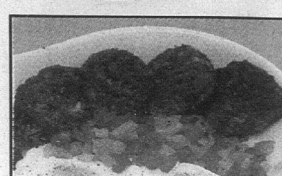
**USDA CHOICE CORN FED BEEF Boneless Sirloin Tip Roast**

**179¢ lb.**

**CHICKEN, BEEF OR PORK Lloyds Tub Barbecue..... 599¢ 2-LB. TUB**

**Circle A Beef Patties..... 399¢ 5-LB. BOX**

**Oscar Mayer Sliced Bacon..... 269¢ 1-LB. PKG.**



**R.B. Rice Pork Sausage**

**2/\$4 1-LB. ROLL**

**LINKS Oscar Mayer Pork Sausage.... 289¢ lb.**

**CHOPPED HAM OR Oscar Mayer Ham & Cheese.... 2/\$5 1-LB. PKG.**

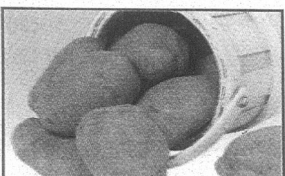
**USDA CHOICE CORN FED BEEF FAMILY PACK Sirloin Tip Steak..... 199¢ lb.**

**Save \$2.00**

**On One Farmland Whole Tradition Ham**

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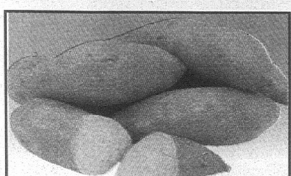
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**198¢ 10 POUND BAG**

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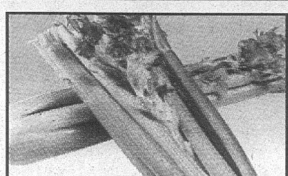
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# St. Louis lawyer named SIU's general counsel

EDWARDSVILLE — Southern Illinois University trustees have named St. Louis attorney Peter H. Ruger as the university's new general counsel.

Ruger, 55, is a partner in the law firm Peper, Martin, Jensen, Maichel and Hetlage. He has represented colleges, universities, public school districts and other non-profit institutions.

Ruger also served 18 years as general counsel for Washington University, where he specialized in suit management, compliance with government regulations, technology

transfer arrangements and faculty employment issues.

University President Ted Sanders said, "Mr. Ruger has extensive experience in higher education law, and I am confident he will serve us well."

As SIU's chief legal advocate, Ruger will advise Sanders and the Board of Trustees on legal matters. He will be based at the Carbondale campus.

He will assume the position Jan. 6 at a salary of \$105,000.

Ruger is co-editor of The College Administrator and the Courts, chairman of the Mis-

souri Bar's education law committee and a member of the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities Legal Advisory Panel.

He also has served as president of the National Association of College and University Attorneys.

Ruger, a native of New York, is married to the former Ann Bryan of Alton. He earned his bachelor's degree in 1963 from Denison University in Granville, Ohio, and a master's degree in history in 1966 at Washington University.

— From The Telegraph

# Veterans honor comrades

CARLINVILLE — Veterans from Macoupin County are being honored with a new memorial put together by their comrades.

The new Veterans Memorial is on the southeast corner of the county courthouse. It consists of six large black granite slabs and a giant center stone flanked by two white granite markers, each engraved with the emblems of the branches of military service.

A 90-minute dedication ceremony featuring a color guard, a 21-gun salute and speakers was held Monday.

Three of the granite slabs are engraved with the names of about 350 Macoupin County veterans who gave their lives during World War I, World War II, the Korean conflict and the Vietnam War.

The granite stones face a courtyard of bricks donated by the city last year after their removal during town square renovation. Many of the bricks were sold for \$100 each and engraved with the donors' names. Six local

brick masons donated their time for laying the brickwork.

Rogue Riojas, a World War II Army veteran who helped raise thousands of dollars for the impressive display, said three new flags were installed before Monday's ceremony, one bearing the State of Illinois seal, one a U.S. flag and the third a POW/MIA flag.

At least two more black granite markers have been ordered from a company in Georgia, and plans are to fill them and the three unmarked stones with the names of military men and women from Macoupin County.

Marty Rogers, who formed the planning committee for the memorial in 1983, said seeing it take shape over the past several months has been a dream come true.

"I knew there was nothing like this in Macoupin County, and I really wanted to see it happen," said Rogers. "I have a strong sense of pride when I look at this. When it's all done, there will

be close to 1,000 names here of people who now won't be forgotten."

Trees and other landscaping will be completed around the park area when possible, and an eternal flame will be lighted next year that will illuminate the memorial year-round.

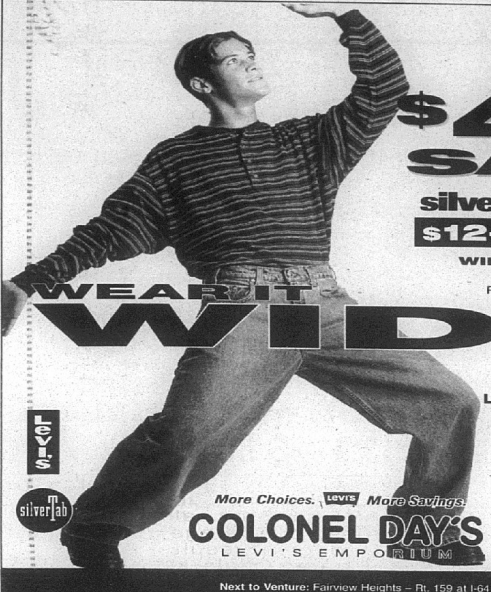
Riojas, 74, commander of the Am-Vets in Jerseyville, said it bothers him when people tell him they don't know much about the Second World War, in which he served in North Africa and Italy.

"We are a living history, and we are slowly dying," Riojas said. "I consider myself a fortunate one because I'm here to tell about it. These (names on the granite stones) are the real heroes. It makes me proud to have done this."

Both men said they never expected the enthusiastic response from the community.

"We figured at first may be three stones, but when it took, it blossomed," Riojas said.

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